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SHANGHAI FOREIGNERS CALM

Consulates Prepare For Gathering Storm By Reds TO BECOME OPEN CITY?

Shanghai, November 6.

Foreign consulates in Shanghai are preparing to protect the lives and interests of their nationals should the gathering storm of Chinese Communism burst over the world's fourth largest city. But they have so far refrained from following the lead of the United States Consulate in advising non-essential nationals to leave while travel facilities are available.

Today's Services

Remembrance Day in Hong Kong will be commemorated today with special services at the Cenotaph, the Chinese War Memorial, the Prison Officers Club, and in the Protestant and Roman Catholic Churches.

The two main ceremonies will be at the Cenotaph and the Chinese War Memorial in the Botanic Gardens, at 10.50 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., respectively. The Governor's deputy will attend both services.

At Stanley, wreaths will be placed on the graves of the War dead following a service conducted by Canon Martin at the Prison Officers Club at 11 a.m.

A special Military Hospital Parade will take place at the Stanley Military Cemetery. The parade will be made up of members of the Royal Army Medical Corps under Major V. Keating, Commanding Officer, Military Hospital. The parade will take place at 10.30 a.m.

At the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, the President's wife will place a wreath of poppies at the base of the War Memorial Plaque. This ceremony will take place at 12.30 p.m.

Special services will be held at St. John's Cathedral at 11.40 a.m., at the Roman Catholic Cathedral at 10 a.m., at St. Andrew's Church at 11 a.m. and at other religious institutions.

A War Memorial will be unveiled at the King George V School at 11 a.m. tomorrow.

Retrial Of Charles Archer

Shanghai, November 6.

The retrial of Charles Archer, Hong Kong-born British subject, charged with murdering a Chinese blackmarket dealer last year, was held by a special tribunal here today.

The full court, however, reserved judgment till next Saturday. Archer is serving a sentence of life imprisonment passed by a district court for his part in the murder of Yu Shen-hao in a motorcar in Shanghai in August, 1947.

At today's trial he reiterated that US Army corporal T. A. Malloy, who was riding with him in the same car, fired the fatal shot.

Corporal Malloy was also sentenced to life imprisonment by a US Military Commission.

SOVIET APOLOGY TO BRITAIN

Vienna, November 6.

The acting Soviet Deputy Commissioner for Austria apologized today for last night's incident when Major General T. J. W. Winterh, the Deputy British High Commissioner in Vienna, was held up by Russian soldiers and forced from entering the garage of an Austrian motor agent.

The Russian Deputy Commissioner visited Major General Winterh, expressed his deep regret and stated that measures had been taken to apprehend the offenders and take disciplinary action against them, according to a British official.

This calm official attitude, coupled with the assurance by Vice-Admiral Oscar Badger, commander-in-chief of the United States West Pacific Fleet, that Marines would be landed in an emergency to protect all foreign nationals has allayed in most cases any tendency to panic.

The feeling of security has been further strengthened as the result of the reported assertions from the Communists that foreigners would not be molested. The teeming Chinese population also seems to show little concern about the threatening military situation.

After the strike during the last few weeks of the abortive period of economic controls, the average worker has a much more personal problem.

Hurry, and with a hungry family, is far too busy trying to obtain a share of the foodstuffs, slowly flowing back on the market, to worry about anything else.

Prices Up Again

His problem is all the more increased by the return of upward spiralling prices, which are changing hourly and in some cases have reached 10 times the level at which they were frozen on August 19, the date when the currency reform was introduced.

The average Chinese worker lives the impression that he does not care who controls China politically, as long as he can get sufficient food and is left in peace.

Many Chinese businessmen and others who fear the Communist threat are still attempting to leave for Hong Kong and other places of refuge, although travel permits are difficult to obtain.

Aircraft and ships from foreign countries have dwindling passenger lists while all accommodation is heavily taxed on those outward bound.

What is worrying many foreigners and Chinese alike is what might happen between any possible collapse of the Nationalist authority and the subsequent taking over by the Communists.

Looting Feared

A hungry people, uncontrolled and mindful of the approaching Northern winter, may lose all discipline to the frigid winds and go on a looting spree. Looting may lead to bloodshed and bloodshed to chaos.

It is believed that this fear predominates in the minds of the foreign consulates in preparation for any emergency.

The British, Canadian and Australian Consulates are reported to have everything ready should

THE WEATHER

Little fresh information has been received about a typhoon but at 0600 GMT (2 p.m. HKST) it was centered about 450 miles E of Luzon where it appears to be almost stationary. A trough extends NNE from it across central Japan to an Eastward moving depression over the Sea of Okhotsk. This trough separates the intense anticyclone over Siberia and China from the anticyclone over the Pacific E of Japan.

Today's Forecast—Fresh to strong N winds, moderating in afternoon. Fair or fine.

Yesterday's Weather—Maximum 78.5 deg. F. Minimum 70.0 deg. F. Sunshine 9.5 hours. Rainfall Nil. Total since Jan. 1—2466.8 mm. (96.9 in.) as against an average of 3040.1 mm. (119.7 in.)

Readings at 10.0 a.m. 4 p.m.

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Temp. 20.0 28.0

Rel. Humidity 60 55

Dew Point 60 60

Wind Direction 18 0

Wind Force 1 2

Time 10.0 4.0

Low 1.0 1.0

trouble arise and it is believed that they would work in close harmony in the interest of 2,000 British and Commonwealth citizens including probably 100 Canadians and 100 Australians.

The French officials declined to make a statement but it is understood that transportation will be made available for those who wish to leave. Others planning for emergency action include Indian, Portuguese and Filipino officials.

Open City?

Meanwhile a suggestion has been raised unofficially that Shanghai should be declared an open port or international city. Commenting on the suggestion, which it attributes to both Chinese and foreigners, the American-owned Shanghai Evening Post says that the plan would enable Shanghai to become a place of refuge once more rather than a potential atom-bomb.

The Post says that the necessary plan should initially be sponsored by the Chinese, but once started should be heeded thoughtfully by Washington and London in particular.

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SHANGHAI BACK ON LIVING INDEX

Shanghai, November 6.

With the view of checking the growing labour unrest, the city authorities today announced the resumption of the publication of living indices for workers and salaried employees.

The index was abolished on August 19 when the currency reform was promulgated.

Index figures will be released twice a month by the Social Affairs Bureau, effective on November 15.—Reuter.

London Sleeps Off Effects Of Riotous Guy Fawkes Night

London, November 10.

London was quiet this morning, sleeping off the effects of its most riotous Guy Fawkes night—annual commemoration of an attempt to blow up the King and Parliament in 1605—for 10 years.

Medical students who led a procession through Piccadilly Circus and other West End streets, abandoned the traditional Guy and paraded with an eight foot effigy of the American comedian, Danny Kaye, with a straw hat and red and white bow tie.

Karl, the students' intention to burn an effigy of Danny Kaye led to protests from the British Variety Artists' Federation and from Mrs. Val Parnell, who organized last Monday's Royal Command performance, for which Kaye flew specially to London.

The students telegraphed that they were honouring him, to which Kaye replied from Paris that he would have been glad to put the torch to the fire himself if he had been in London.

After the procession, accompanied by exploding fireworks, the students put the body on a bonfire in the quadrangle of University College after removing the effigy's papier-mache head, which had been modelled by the students of Henry Moore, the sculptor.

A few seconds later, rockets blazed into the sky above the 30 feet flames.

In other parts of London, there were more bonfires, one being at Putney and made with driftwood salvaged from the Thames by children.

London fire brigades answered 160 calls. Police and special constables were on duty in Cambridge Circus, where a bridge which was out of bounds

S.L. Lo Dies From Injuries Received In Valley Race

Mr. S. L. Lo, novice jockey, yesterday evening succumbed to injuries sustained when he was thrown by Amigo during the running of the Waglan Handicap, first section, at Happy Valley earlier in the afternoon.

Mr. Lo died at Queen Mary Hospital shortly before 7 o'clock yesterday evening. He suffered a fractured skull and never regained consciousness.

Eisenhower's Own Story Tomorrow

General Dwight D. Eisenhower's book, "Crusade in Europe," his own story of World War II, will be published in the "China Mail" commencing tomorrow.

General Eisenhower, now president of Columbia University, has told in simple terms the story of the war as he saw it before and after he became Supreme Commander, announced the author's supervision.

The title of the book is taken from General Eisenhower's D-Day Order of the Day, launching the occupation of occupied France in June 1944 in which the Supreme Commander, announced to the Commander, "You are about to embark on that great crusade toward which we have striven these many months."

The accident, involving four parties, happened at the Rock, and resulted in serious injuries being received by Mr. Lo and Mr. B. L. Tao. The other two jockeys, J. C. Fonseca and R. A. Castro, escaped unhurt.

Messrs. Lo and Tao were immediately carried to the Jockeys' Room where first aid was rendered. Mr. Lo was later taken to the Queen Mary Hospital in an ambulance, while Mr. Tao had to give up racing for the rest of the afternoon.

Mr. Lo, 33 years of age, is a brother of Dr. S. S. Lo of Wang Hing Building, and a member of the Lo Shui-ping family. He was connected with the Tackson Company of the same building.

Mr. Lo leaves a wife, a son aged five years and a three-year-old daughter, as well as a host of friends, to mourn his premature death.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Yesterday's fatal accident was the second this year, the first victim being Mr. Tang Man-wo who just prior to the start of the Ascot Handicap, second section, on February 28, was thrown against the paddock rails by Sunshine.

Like Mr. Lo, Mr. Tang sustained a fractured skull from which he died at 12.25 a.m. the following morning at Queen Mary Hospital.

POLITICAL, MILITARY RESHUFFLE IN CHINA

Nanking, November 6.

An over-all reshuffling of China's anti-Communist front, both political and military, was reported today to be under top level consideration in an effort to check the rapidly ebbing Nationalist fortune.

President Chiang Kai-shek, according to well-informed sources, is to make an important policy announcement on Monday.

Generals Chang Chih-chung and Pai Chung-hsi, Nationalist commanders in North Western and Central China, have arrived in Nanking to join the North China commander, General Fu Tso-yi, in military conferences with the President. Special significance is attached to the talks which will be held in strict secrecy.

Meanwhile, the Nanking Evening News reported today that Premier Wang Wen-hua still has not abandoned his intention to resign. He stayed away from his office again today.

The letter containing the en bloc resignation of the Cabinet is still kept in the Executive Yuan's secretariat.

Pongpu Fighting

Meanwhile, fighting in the environs of Pongpu was officially reported today to have started, thereby lifting the curtain on the big Communist drive for the Nanking-Haichow corridor.

The Communist concentration against Pongpu, defended by two Nationalist armies, confirmed the belief that the Communists will by-pass Haichow and strike at the railway linking the city with Nanking. Pongpu is 120 miles North of Nanking.

The Nationalist Defense Ministry release today said Communist advance units have reached Fengyang and Lianhuankuan, rail towns 15 miles East of Pongpu.

A direct Communist assault on Pongpu, which is apparently their immediate objective, is expected to be launched shortly.

The release said Communist units are also probing the defenses of Fengtai and Tingyuan, 45 and 30 miles West and South East of Pongpu. Tingyuan was an old Communist base.

Government forces, the release added, have begun mopping up operations against these units.

It was also reported that a large Communist army under General Chen Yi is marching Southwards on Haichow.—United Press.

Foreign Chief Tenders Resignation

Nanking, November 6.

The Foreign Minister, Dr. Wang Shih-chieh, has tendered his resignation to President Chiang Kai-shek who, however, persuaded him to stay on. It was reliably reported today.

Dr. Wang's resignation is said to be different and separate from the planned and now apparently abandoned en bloc Cabinet resignation.

Legislative Yuan circles said Dr. Wang resigned because his contacts in Paris convinced him that his previous policy of trying to take the Russian bear by appeasement has failed.

The new stand of the American Secretary of State, Mr. George Marshall, on China, and Dr. Wang's attempted resignation came on the heels of agitation in the Legislative Yuan for abandonment of the present fence sitting foreign policy.

The agitation is in favour of a clear-cut line-up with the West in its global fight against the East and at a time when Nationalist fortunes are ebbing disastrously.

It is generally expected a sharp swing in China's foreign policy is likely to result.

Meanwhile, legislators have begun fresh efforts to press for official condemnation of the Soviet violations of the 1945 Sino-Soviet Treaty of Friendship and Alliance. A bill is now being drafted and is expected to be presented to the Legislative Yuan next Tuesday.

The bill, reviving in essence the previous one sponsored by Pan Chao-ying, is said to include a proviso for appeal to the United Nations against Soviet Russia's hostile attitude towards the National Government.—United Press.

Trade Shows Big Increase

Total imports and exports for the first 10 months of the year has exceeded in value the trade for the whole of last year, it was officially stated yesterday.

Statistics show that the Colony's imports between January and October amounted in value to HK\$1,631,000, 000 compared to HK\$1,482, 000,000 for the whole of 1947—an excess of HK\$159,000, 000.

Exports for the first 10 months of the year totalled in value HK\$1,259,000,000 compared to HK\$1,105,000, 000 in the 12 months ended December 31, 1947—an excess of HK\$153,000,000.

Statement On Bridge House Trial Phase

Shanghai, November 6.

The Public Information Office of the Joint United States Military Advisory Group in Nanking replied today to the Shanghai Evening Post's editorial of November 2, urging it to clear up the case of Bhola Singh, ex-Sikh guard, alleged in the Bridge House trial, now being held in Hong Kong, to have ill-treated Watson and Hutton.

In a statement, JUSMAG said, first that there is at present in the custody of a Sikh guard named Bhola Singh.

Secondly, the PIO office has no knowledge of any offence committed by him and specifically no knowledge of any connection between any Sikh personnel employed by this group and the case in question.

Thirdly, no request has been made to JUSMAG to subpoena any Sikh personnel as witnesses or parties in the case referred to.—Reuter.

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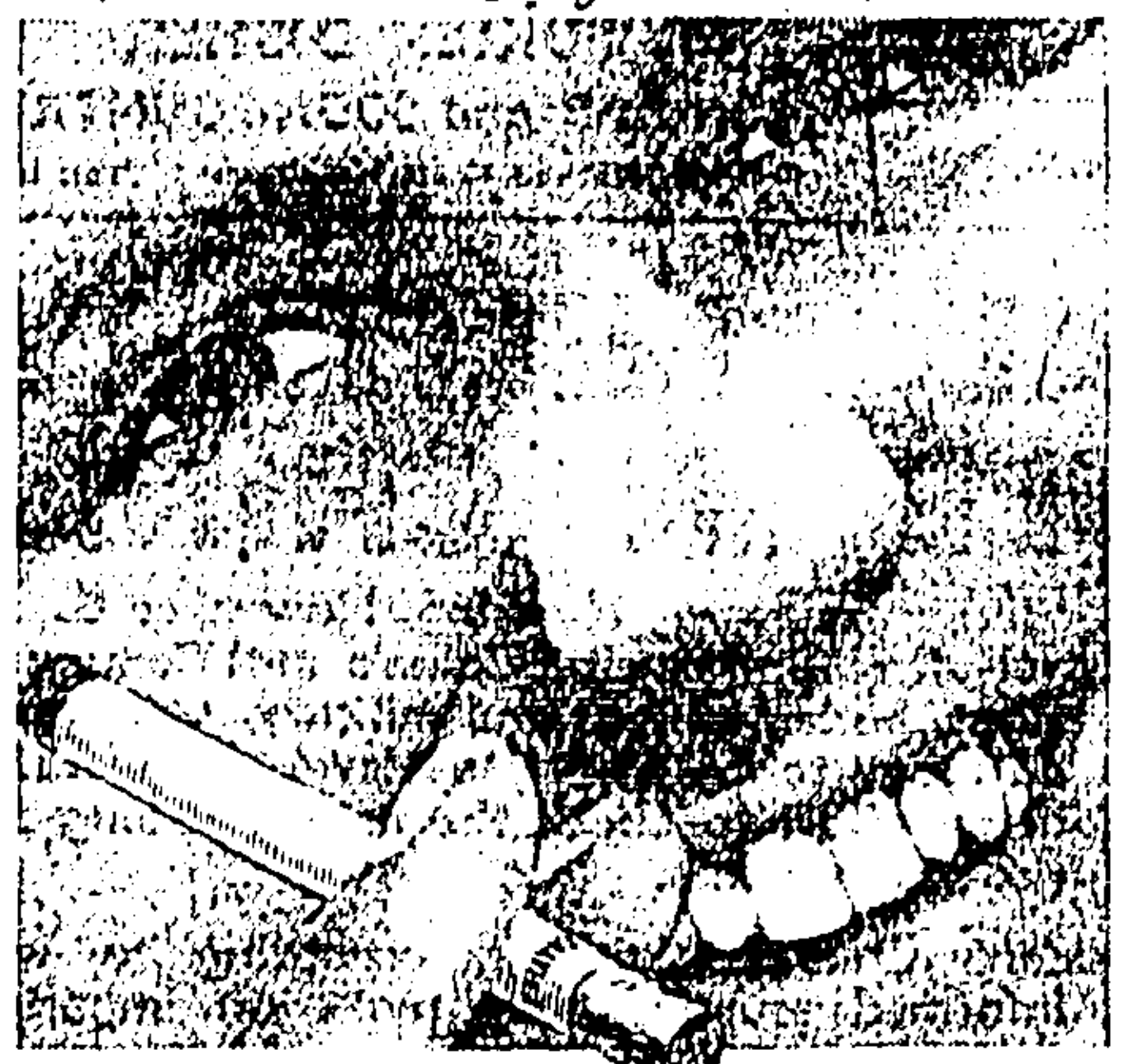
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Now's The Time

Sir, - Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the Party.

We have it, on the authority of Mr. Carr, that at least the Municipality of Hong Kong is within sight.

We know that half of the members will be nominated by these old and well-versed institutions, the Chambers of Commerce, the University, the Rowing Club, the Students' Association, the Trades Unions, etc. What steps are being taken to discover and bring the best men and women to fill the vacancies that will be open to election?

Many of the best suited may be unable to spare the time faithfully to carry out the duties demanded of city councillors, to personally investigate and obtain facts about points at issue; others are not yet possessed of the funds. Arrangements must be made to correct this, so that the very best are made available.

The natural division of parties by the Spring of 1950 the tree should have appeared from out of the wood, and Hong Kong's first elections may avoid the hopeless stop which signalled those of Singapore in early 1948.

The natural division of parties in Hong Kong would appear, at first sight, to be along racial lines; but, looked into more deeply, there are, in every race, those who are not yet possessed of the funds. Arrangements must be made to correct this, so that the very best are made available.

There is a year's work ahead, to build up the parties, to collect funds, to educate the public in the difference between the objectives of the parties, and in their responsibilities at the poll. To offer the public some visible and attainable return, either in the form of pecuniary gain, or in a change for the better in services of which they are actively and justly proud.

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Dramatic Scene



Dramatic scene in "The Sorrows of the Forbidden City" when Empress Dowager, about to hand the Ju Yi Jade seal to Lady Tataru, was commanded by the Empress Dowager to offer it to her niece. Inset shows Lady Tataru who eventually became Pearl Concubine.

Colourful Period In China's History Brought To Screen

One of the most colourful and eventful periods in China's history, culminating in the historic Taiping Rebellion or Boxer Incident in 1900, has been brought to the screen by the Yung Hwa Motion Picture Industries, Limited, in Hong Kong.

Prepared in a mandarin dialogue and with English sub-titles for foreign audiences, the "Sorrows of the Forbidden City" will have its world premiere at the King's Theatre on Thursday.

Yung Hwa spent HK\$1,000, 000 in the production of "Sorrows of the Forbidden City". To bring the authentic story of the "behind the scene" reign of China's shrewd and intriguing Empress Dowager to the screen, research teams studied at least 150 historical volumes relating to the Ching Dynasty. In addition, many ancient Chinese classics were consulted. A special research unit was sent from Hong Kong to Peking to interview the only two surviving eunuchs of the Empress Dowager and Emperor Kwang Hsu to ascertain the true characteristics of the then "Royal Family".

Featuring an all-star cast, the "Sorrows of the Forbidden City" was produced by Mr. Lee Tui-yung and directed by Mr. Chu Shih-hing, who has at least 40 Chinese films to his credit. Mr. Yung Hwa-nung (pen-name: Yung Hwa) is responsible for the screen play.

"Sorrows of the Forbidden City" begins with the Imperial Edict in 1837. The dramatic stage in an elaborate betrothal ceremony is reached when Empress Dowager Hsu, about to offer the traditional "Ju Yi" Jade (to indicate his choice) to Lady Tataru with whom he had fallen in love at first sight, was interrupted and commanded by the Empress Dowager to hand the Jade to Lady Yehonah, her niece.

As a result, Lady Tataru and her elder sister were given titles of "Pearl Concubine" and "Jade Concubine", respectively. Political disagreement soon placed the Empress Dowager and Emperor Kwang Hsu in opposing camps. A coup d'état, however, put the Empress Dowager back in power. Because of strong public indignation and foreign criticism, the Dowager however had to retain the Emperor as a titular head.

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powers towards the Emperor added fuel to the Dowager's smouldering anti-foreign feelings. As a result, the Boxer Incident occurred in 1900. Troops of the foreign powers marched on Peking, sweeping aside feeble resistance.

Determined not to leave the Emperor behind, the Dowager, just before her flight from the doomed capital, ordered her eunuchs to drown "Pearl Concubine" in a well and lured the Emperor to a waiting mule wagon in which she made her escape.

Six Brothel Keepers Caught

A systematic raid on brothels in the Wanchai area by Inspector Heyward, attached to the Eastern Station, and his party on Thursday night, netted six brothel keepers, who were brought before Mr. F. X. d'Almeida at Central yesterday.

The places raided were: The ground floor of No. 12 Swatow Lane, No. 8 of the same street and four huts on the roofs of houses in Thompson Road.

All the women keepers admitted their offences before the magistrate and were each sentenced to three months' imprisonment without the option of a fine.

Inspector Saunders prosecuted.

Reminders

Today

Remembrance Day: Services at Cenotaph 10.50 a.m.; at Chinese War Memorial 11.30 a.m.; at Prison Officers Club, Stanley 11 a.m.; at Kowloon Bowling Green Club 12.30 p.m.; at Christ Church 10 a.m.; St. John's Cathedral 11.40 a.m.; St. Andrew's Church 11 a.m.; Catholic Cathedral 10 a.m.

Victoria Diocesan & Missionary Association (St. Andrew's Group) meeting at 7.30 p.m.

Lecture on "Impressions of a Round Trip" by Mr. A. W. Ingram, at European YMCA, 8.30 p.m.

Classical Concert, Tse H. Club, 8.30 p.m.

Wah Yau Dramatic Society presents "The Lady Warrior" at Wah Yau College Theatre, 8.30 p.m. (last night).

H.K. Art Club Sketching Party at Stanley, members transport at Queen's Pier, 2.30 p.m.

Coming Events

TOMORROW

H.K. Singers rehearsal, St. John's Cathedral Hall, 5.30 p.m.

King George V School unveiling of War Memorial, at School premises, 11 a.m.

TUESDAY

H.K. Rotary Club, talk by Mr. F. M. Gensburger, Rolf Garden, H.K. Hotel, 12.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Tue H. Club meeting, Talbot House, 50 MacDonnell Road, 8.30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Kowloon Rotary Club luncheon, Peninsula Hotel, 12.30 p.m.

Dr. Saunders Arrives For Visit

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Saunders have arrived in Hong Kong from Shanghai and Chungking, for a two weeks' stay in the interests of the orphan children of China.

Dr. Saunders has been a resident of China for 47 years, and Mrs. Saunders was born in China. Pukong orphanage, at Shiu-chow, Kwangtung, was established 28 years ago by Dr. Saunders; it became known as the best centre for orphan children, with a programme of industrial training in connection with ordinary schooling, in a Christian atmosphere of home-like living. More than 30 other homes have been established in China patterned after this Model.

Dr. Saunders is now director of the American-Oriental Friendship Association, Inc. which is developing four main Model Centres for orphan children utilising the best thought and methods known in the world today through the Barnardo Homes in London, Boys' Town in Nebraska, and the Children's Villages in Switzerland.

The centre now under development is the Ching Memorial Children's Village near Chungking, which opened on October 20 with the first complement of homeless orphan children stranded by the war, coming from provinces as remote as Shantung, Chekiang and Shensi.

Former HQ

The site is the former home and military headquarters of President Chiang Kai-shek at Hwangshan, which consists of 50 acres and 20 buildings. This property was presented to the Methodist Church of China at the close of the war to be developed into a home and school for children of officers and soldiers killed in the war.

The American-Oriental Friendship Association co-operates in the development of this home into a first-class Model Centre. Forty children have been accepted in the first group, and others will be admitted as rapidly as funds are available.

Present buildings will accommodate 300 children; with a few additional buildings, 500-1000 fatherless children may be admitted. Last winter over 2200 homeless persons, most of them children, were picked up starving on Chungking streets; no permanent place has been found for the majority of these waifs of the war.

Another Centre

The South China Christian Association for Homeless Children is developing another Model Centre in the suburbs of Canton under the leadership of Dr. P. K. Chan, who is now raising funds in the U.S.A. and Canada among overseas Chinese. The Centre has 130 children busy at various trades in connection with their schooling, with accommodation for 300 if funds are available.

Dr. and Mrs. Saunders are staying at Phillips House during their stay in Hong Kong, after which they will proceed to Manila to enlist the aid of friends of homeless Chinese children in this work.

The non-political, non-sectarian work of the American-Oriental Friendship Association in its co-operative programme with various groups, gives all friends of needy homeless Chinese children an opportunity to help as they desire.

The present campaign is for 500 Sponsors of individual children in each of the Chungking and Canton homes. HK\$5000 meets all expenses for a year, \$250 covers room, board, tuition.

Donations may be sent to J. R. Saunders National City Bank, Hong Kong or Lam Chi Fung, 42 Bonham Strand West, Hong Kong.

Police Want Information On Murder

The police need the assistance of two men who led a constable to the body of street-sleeper who had apparently been hacked to death with a chopper.

An official announcement last night said that the police are anxious to interview the two men, who should report to the Western District Police Station or to any police station as soon as possible.

Shortly after 1 a.m. last Tuesday, two men guided a constable to the junction of Des Voeux Road West and White Street West, they pointed out a dead body with a blood-stained chopper lying nearby.

Chinese reports during the week hinted that revenge was the motive behind the fatal attack on the man. One vernacular newspaper added that the man lost his life because he opposed a triad society.

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November 5.

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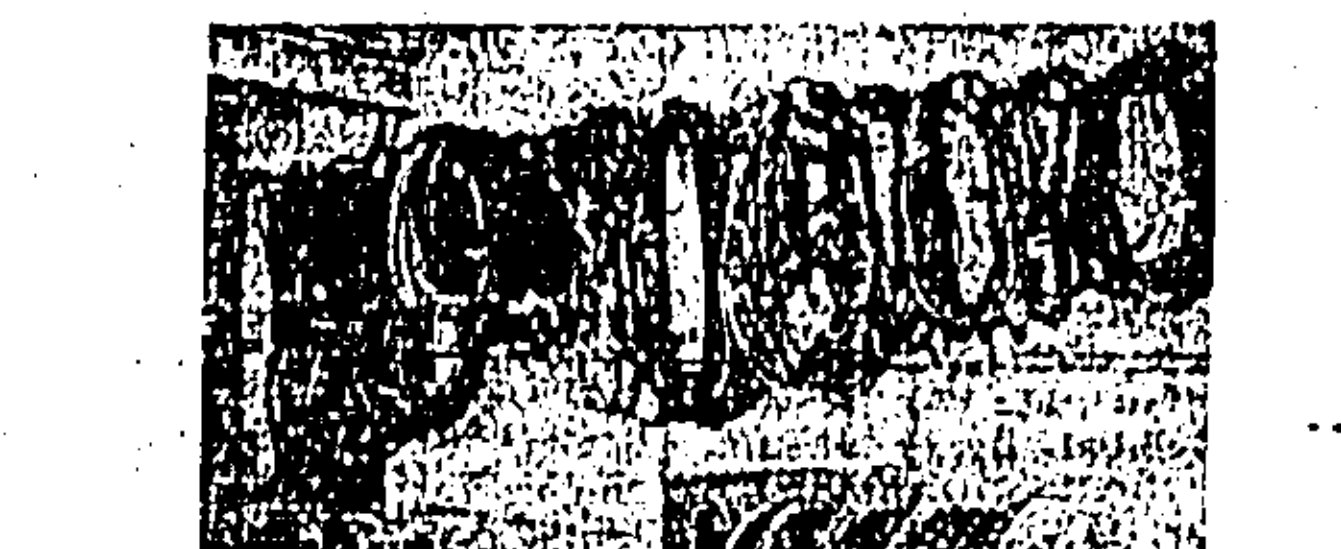
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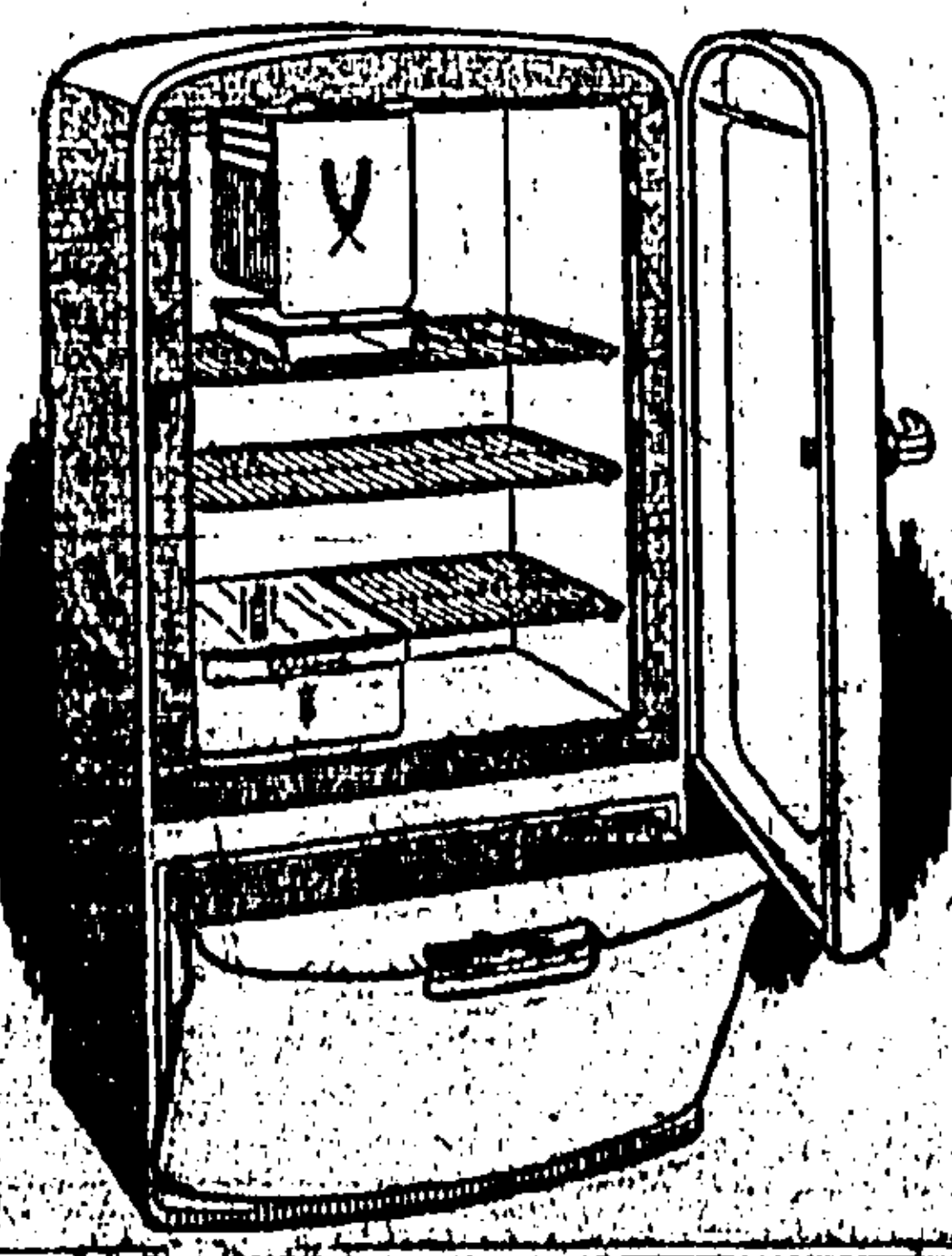
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Bruised Eumaeus Leaves Port After Harbour Collision

Still bearing the bruises of her recent collision at Lyemun Pass with the Russian steamer Poltava, the British freighter Eumaeus left port yesterday to resume her journey to the United Kingdom.

Indian Govt Official Honoured

Sri J. A. Thivy, Representative to the Government of India, and Mrs. Thivy, were the guests of honour at the 9 p.m. performance of the Karnala Circus on Friday.

Mr. C. B. Loman, Manager of the Circus, in an address of welcome, thanked both Sri. Thivy and Mrs. Thivy for their kind presence. He also expressed gratitude for the encouragement which had been given by other members of the Indian community.

Mr. Loman also took the opportunity of paying tribute to the invaluable services rendered to the Karnala Circus, both in Hong Kong and Macao, by Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lam of 18 Blue Pool Road. Mr. Loman said that Mr. Lam had endeared himself to all members of the circus troupe, who had come to address him as "Uncle".

In conclusion, Mr. Loman appealed to all Indians to forget their religious or provincial differences and to work for the common good.

Replying briefly, Sri. Thivy thanked Mr. Loman and the management of the Karnala Circus for their hospitality and said that from what he had seen, he was convinced that the Karnala Circus was upholding the reputation of India and had earned for itself a good name.

A pleasant evening was concluded with Mr. Lam presenting the proprietor of the Karnala Circus with a gold medal.

REMEMBRANCE DAY FUND

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Restaurant Tkachenko	50.00
The British General Electric Co. Ltd.	100.00
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Mr. J. E. Dagal	50.00
M. Dimitas & Sons	51.00
Tung Kee & Co.	10.00
Tung Shan Hotel	25.00
Total to date	\$50,193.37

Minor repairs were made on the buckled bow plates and sprung rivets, the only damage sustained by the 7,308-ton freighter. A complete overhaul may be carried out when the Eumaeus reaches home. She was repaired on the spot in Kowloon Bay.

The British ship arrived here from Shanghai on October 29 and was just clearing off local waters last Monday evening when she encountered the s.s. Poltava at Lyemun Pass. The Russian vessel was struck at the stern and had to be beached in waters about four fathoms deep, half a mile west of Channel Rocks, near the Green Island Cement Company.

There were no passengers aboard the vessels, and nobody was reported injured, though the Russian steamer was said to suffer about HK\$1,500,000 worth of cargo damage. About 1,000 tons of her Goya beans, consigned to a Chinese firm here from North Korea, were soaked with salt water. Her total cargo of beans was estimated to be worth HK\$3,600,000.

The s.s. Eumaeus left yesterday with 7,000 tons of general cargo for the United Kingdom via the Straits. She has no passengers. Built in the United States in 1943, she was then the s.s. Samseuse, which was operating for the British Ministry of War Transport. She was bought by Alfred Holt and Company in 1947 and named the Eumaeus.

Of the Liberty ship class, the Eumaeus belongs to the Blue Funnel Line fleet on the United Kingdom—Far East service.

The inquiry into the collision was completed last Friday and the written judgment will be delivered by the Marine Court of Inquiry on November 12.

WAR MEMORIAL FUND

Public Subscriptions to the Hong Kong War Memorial Fund received between October 23 and November 5 follow:

	(H.K. \$)
Club Lusitano	500.00
H.K. Civil Service Chinese Association	44.00
"Centime" Monthly Contribution	25.00
In Memory of David Mann.	10.00
Anonymous	10.00
Total	HK\$ 570.00
Received to October 22, 1946	HK\$3,757,243.36
Total	HK\$3,757,823.36

On World Tour



In Hong Kong last week was Mrs. Millicent Hastings, tour director for Hemphill Travel Service of Los Angeles, who is on an air tour of the world to investigate travel possibilities. She arrived from San Francisco by P.A.L. to visit to Shanghai and on to Peking by C.N.A.C. She will leave China shortly for Bangkok and Calcutta. A party on a Hemphill world tour is at present in Peking and will arrive in Hong Kong next week.

Personalia

Mr. John Keswick, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Jardine, Matheson and Company, Limited, has been awarded the "King Christian X's Medal of Freedom" by the King of Denmark in recognition of valuable services rendered to the "China Commando Group."

The group was a force of Danish volunteers fighting the Japanese during the Pacific War. The decoration was presented to Mr. Keswick on November 3, by the Danish Minister to China, His Excellency Monsieur Alex March.

Mrs. H. H. Findlay Gourlie will give a second lecture on flower arrangement at the Young Women's Christian Association, Duddell Street, on November 15 at 5.15 p.m.

Her subject will be "How to make Christmas Decorations." A fee of 60 cents for admission will be charged. No members of the YWCA are welcome.

Departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Friday included Mr. and Mrs. A. M. MacLachlan, Mrs. M. Hastings, Messrs. M. A. Mitchell, H. Abbott, E. Soan, Howe, S. Miskimmin, Mario Prodan, C.C.P. Whitcomb, R.J. Morgan, W.H.M. Newland, B. Hunt, Ed. Lewis, R.H. Robertson, R.A. Eckford, G. Williams, M.M. Howell, J.T. Chu and J.F. Huntington.

New arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday included Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. D. Drake, Messrs. J.E. Stepanek, David E. Austin, Miss Chuthin and Miss E. Junod.

Mrs. Evelyn Goudie, wife of Mr. Robert Goudie of Cable and Wireless, Limited, has arrived in the Colony with their young daughter, Patricia, from England.

Mr. and Mrs. Anker B. Henningsen arrived from Shanghai yesterday in the s.s. Wingsan. They were met by Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Crawford.

KAI TAK A.D.S. TO STAGE PLAY

On Wednesday and Thursday the Kai Tak Amateur Dramatic Society will present "See How They Run," the popular farce by Philip King which has recently finished a lengthy run on the London West end stage.

The farce which is one long laugh from start to finish is to be played in the Station Cinema Kai Tak and will also be staged at the China Fleet Club on November 17.

All performances will commence at 8 p.m. The production is in the capable hands of Sidney E. Embury and patrons are advised to book their seats early as there are only a limited number. Prices of admission are \$3, \$2, and \$1.

AN EXHIBITION OF OIL & WATER COLOUR PAINTINGS

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SAT. 13th " — 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.

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Former Sub-Chaser, Now A Freighter, Leaving For Korea

Early this morning, a small sea-blue craft with buff superstructure, which has been a rare harbour spectacle for the past two months, will leave port.

She is the newly-converted American submarine chaser Blue Bird leaving the Colony for her first assignment—carrying 50 tons of rubber and chemicals to Korea.

This is the maiden trip of the 127-ton freighter to North China waters, and will be the first of several trips on this run.

The 50-ton cargo, contained in about 1,000 packages, included smoked rubber sheet, zinc oxide and chloride of potash. They are being shipped to Korea by Chinese firms here, through the Chan Yuen Hong, which has chartered the Blue Bird from the Grace Shnyder and Company, owners of the craft.

Mr. Albert van Arsdale, master of the vessel which looks more like a pleasure craft by appearance, said that the Blue Bird has enough fuel to make a direct trip to Korea, and though they will trace the China coast she will not call at any Chinese ports en route, weather permitting. The vessel carries food stocks and handiery enough for the voyage.

First Of Her Kind

Followed to be the first of her kind in local waters, the Blue Bird arrived here last August from the Pacific coast with 1,600 gallons of marine paint aboard and an all-American seven-man crew, including two engineers, a mate, two deckhands and a cook. During her maiden trip to the Far East from America, the freighter had two narrow escapes. When about 600 miles off the Hawaiian Islands at which she called after leaving Seattle, Washington, a screw became fractured and she drifted for nearly a day before she was rescued by a USN patrol boat which towed her to Johnston Island.

Built in 1942 at Rock Port, Maine, as a submarine chaser, the Blue Bird was on active service in the Caribbean Sea, where she became the target of heavy enemy fire. She survived the war unscathed.

The vessel measures 110 feet long with an 18-foot beam and is equipped with gyro compass, magnetic compass, tachometer, radio telephones and a transmitting and receiving set. With her twin Diesel General Motors engine engines, she can do 16 knots at best. She flies the American flag.

SIKHS TO MARK HOLIDAY

The festival in commemoration of the birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Jee will be celebrated by the Sikh community of Hong Kong at the Sikh Temple on Tuesday, November 16.

The Hon. Secretary of the Khalsa Diwan, Mr. Puran Singh, has requested the heads of Government Departments and private firms to grant their employees a holiday for the occasion. Free meals and refreshments will be served for three days commencing Sunday, November 14.

TOC H CONCERT

A concert of recorded music will be presented at Talbot House (To H), 50, Macdonnell Road, today at 8.45 p.m.

The programme will include: Overture "Leopold No. 3" Beethoven; Prologue "Pagliacci" — Leoncavallo; Excerpts from "La Boheme" — Puccini; "Die Walkure" — Wagner; "The Magic Fire Music" — Wagner; and Concerto in C minor, No. 2 — Rachmaninoff.

Wedding In Wanchai

The wedding took place at the Methodist Church in Wanchai yesterday of Miss Helen Thomson and Mr. Eric Longdale of the P.W.D. The Rev. Sandbach officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her father, Mr. W. A. Thomson, wore a lovely gown of white crepe with a crook draped off the shoulder line and long light fitting sleeves. The skirt had an unusual bustle effect at the back. She carried a bouquet of pink and white gladioli.

The bride's mother acted as Matron of Honour and wore a striking gown of soft dove grey crepe with a straight skirt in the front and a fully flared back. She wore a grey and violet hat and violet accessories. She carried a shower bouquet of violets.

The two bridesmaids were Miss June Hilton and Miss Thelma Thomson (the bride's sister). They wore period gowns in lavender and apple green net, respectively. The gowns were designed with off-the-shoulder necklines, long bodices, and gathered puffed skirts ending in a deep frill. They wore net caps to match and carried posies of assorted flowers.

The duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. R. Primrose. The reception was held at the bride's home.

The honeymoon will be spent in Macao.

Wedding At Rosary Church

At Rosary Church, Kowloon yesterday, Miss Mercia Rocha was married to Mr. W. Villa Carlos. The Rev. Father Angelis officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her oldest brother, wore a long white tulle gown with a gathered bodice and long sleeves. Her long tulle veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms.

She carried a bouquet of tuberoses. Attending the bride were Misses Terry Villa Carlos and Helen Rocha. They wore pink and blue tulle respectively. Both bridesmaids carried small posies of red roses.

Groomsmen were Mr. A. Rocha and Mr. M. Villa Carlos. The reception was held at 43 Hankow Road (first floor) and the honeymoon is to be spent at Repulse Bay Hotel.

The forthcoming wedding has been announced of Mr. Miguel Antonio de Souza, assistant Manager, Pacific Union Trading Company, of 20 Hillwood Road, and Miss Elvira Gertrude Gutierrez, stenographer, Calhoun MacGregor Co. Ltd., of 14 Soares Avenue, Homuntin.

DANCE POSTPONED

The Remembrance Day Dance planned for Monday night at the Kowloon Cricket Club has been postponed to Saturday, November 13.

Record Number Of Heroin Pipes Seized

The post-war record number of 45 heroin pipes was seized by Chief Inspector F. J. Clarke in a raid on a combined heroin-opium den in an unnumbered hut at Tai Kok Tsui on November 5.

The den was a very well organized affair, with women attendants handing out tea and wet towels, and checking in hats and shoes of the patrons.

At the time of the raid, there were 24 smokers on the premises, as well as three women, Liu Yung, aged 34, Lau Po, aged 33, and Chan Ping, aged 25. The police also found 4,000 pink pills, alleged to be heroin pills, 20 lamps, four opium pipes, and 6½ mace of prepared opium.

Charged before Mr. J. Wickes at Kowloon yesterday, seven of the smokers pleaded guilty to smoking heroin, and 17 to smoking opium. The three women pleaded not guilty to the charges of keeping the den and possession of the smoking paraphernalia.

After reminding the smokers that smoking opium is a heroin habit, the magistrate said: "The severe penalty being imposed by this court is for your own good."

The alleged keepers were fined for a week. The 13 smokers on bail were fined \$200 each, and the others \$175 for each pipe found.

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(a) Connaught Road C. from East side of Queen's Buildings to Murray Road.

(b) Chater Road from Des Voeux Road C. to Club Street.

(c) Jackson Road from Des Voeux Road C. to Connaught Road C.

(d) Wardley Street North of Chater Road.

(e) Ice House Street, between Connaught Road C. and Des Voeux Road closed to North-bound traffic.

2. No Parking.

No Vehicles except motor cars permitted in Para. 4 below will be allowed to park in undermentioned roads from 9 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. Overnight Parkers to note in particular.

(a) Connaught Road C. from East side of Queen's Buildings to Murray Road.

(b) Chater Road East of Ice House Street to Club Street.

(c) Wardley Street North of Chater Road.

(d) Jackson Road from Des Voeux Road C. to Connaught Road C.

3. Parking Allowed.

Parking of motor cars will be allowed on south side of Des Voeux Road C. from Jackson Road to Ice House Street from 9 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.

4. Approach to Cenotaph.

Flag Cars will approach Cenotaph via Jackson Road and park in Connaught Road C. South side East of Wardley Street.

Traffic diversion. Eastbound traffic in Connaught Road C. between Pedder Street and Ice House Street will proceed on the South side of Connaught Road.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

October 27, 1948.

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Application for re-sealing certified copy Probate has been granted to Mr. C. D. Slade.

Local estate, sworn under \$43,400, was left by Mr. William Fleming MacKenzie, Mining Engineer, formerly of Ipoh, Perak, Federated Malay States, who died in Melbourne on September 5, 1946.

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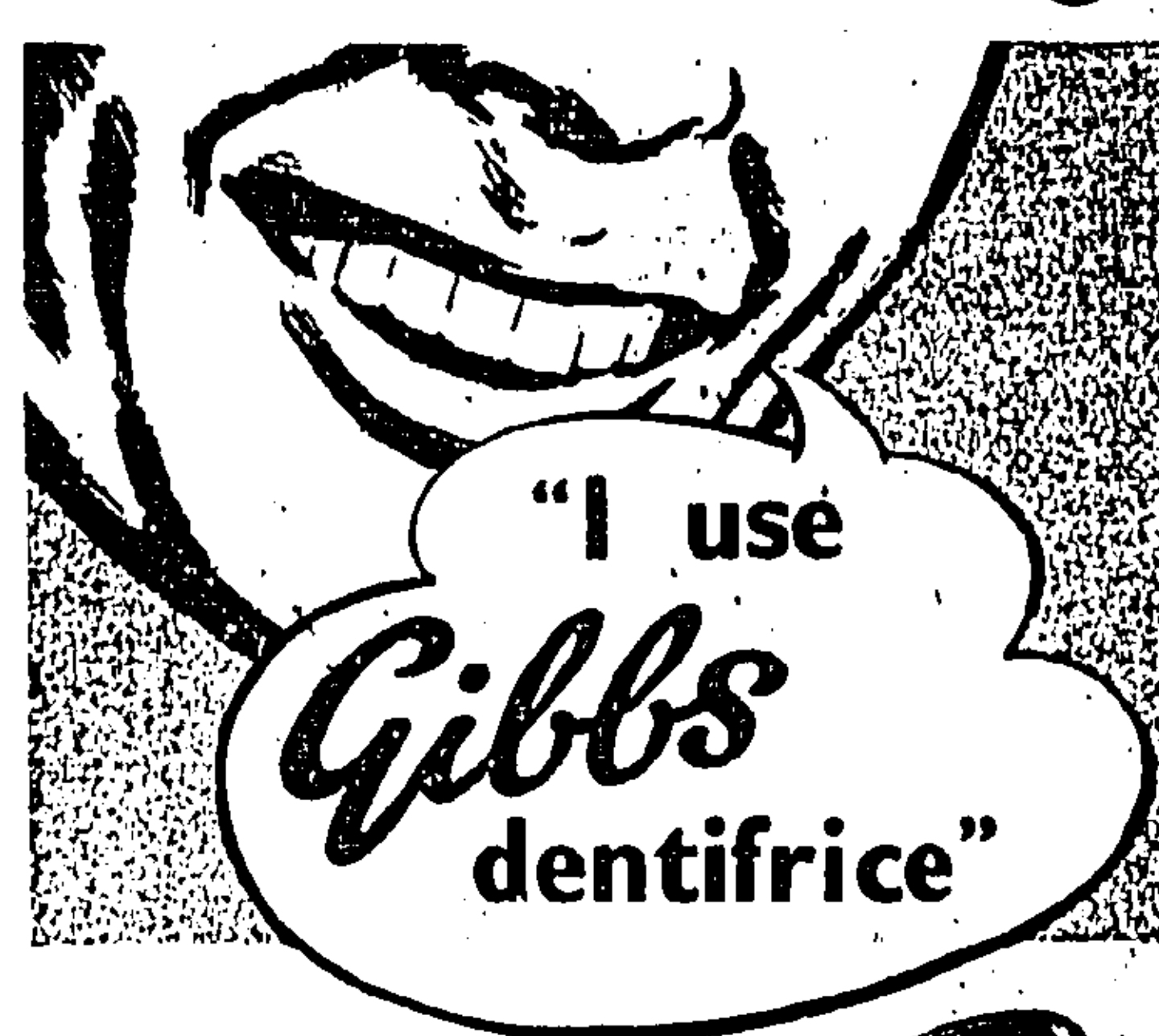
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These figures of average daily consumption, and cost, tell the October story of a nation that is cutting down on beer:

Pints	1938	1947	Today
18,000,000	20,285,000	12,000,000	11,000,000
£350,000	£1,319,250	£1,000,000	£1,000,000

Thirst for beer began to swell early in the war; reached peak in 1945. Since then it has been going down—and the cost has been going up.

Plenty To Spare

In most parts today supplies are plentiful. The famine that hit the country early this year after the Government had reduced supplies by cutting the brewers' sugar allocation is history.

Caterers at big sports events—like Ascot, Goodwood, and the Olympic Games—found themselves with supplies. Today the brewers admit that supplies exceed demand to an appreciable extent. Some of the brewery chiefs have warned their shareholders of a "serious decline in sales," and a few breweries have cut prices. In the trade they say: "If this sales resistance goes on there will have to be all-round price cuts."

Nostalgically the brewers and the pubs and the clubs look back on the last year of the war when John Bull, his pockets well filled, spent a record £550,000,000 slaking his thirst for beer. Or even last year, when the total was £481,000,000, and provided brewers with profits aggregating £49,000,000.

Matter Of Cash

Nostalgically the smart clubs and night spots look back on those years when members called again and again for rounds of hard liquor. Today hard-liquor

Glubb Pasha Not Liable

London, November 6. The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, declared today that Brigadier J. B. Glubb Pasha, Commander of the Transjordan Legion, is not liable to an 1870 law forbidding British enlistment in foreign armies engaged in war.

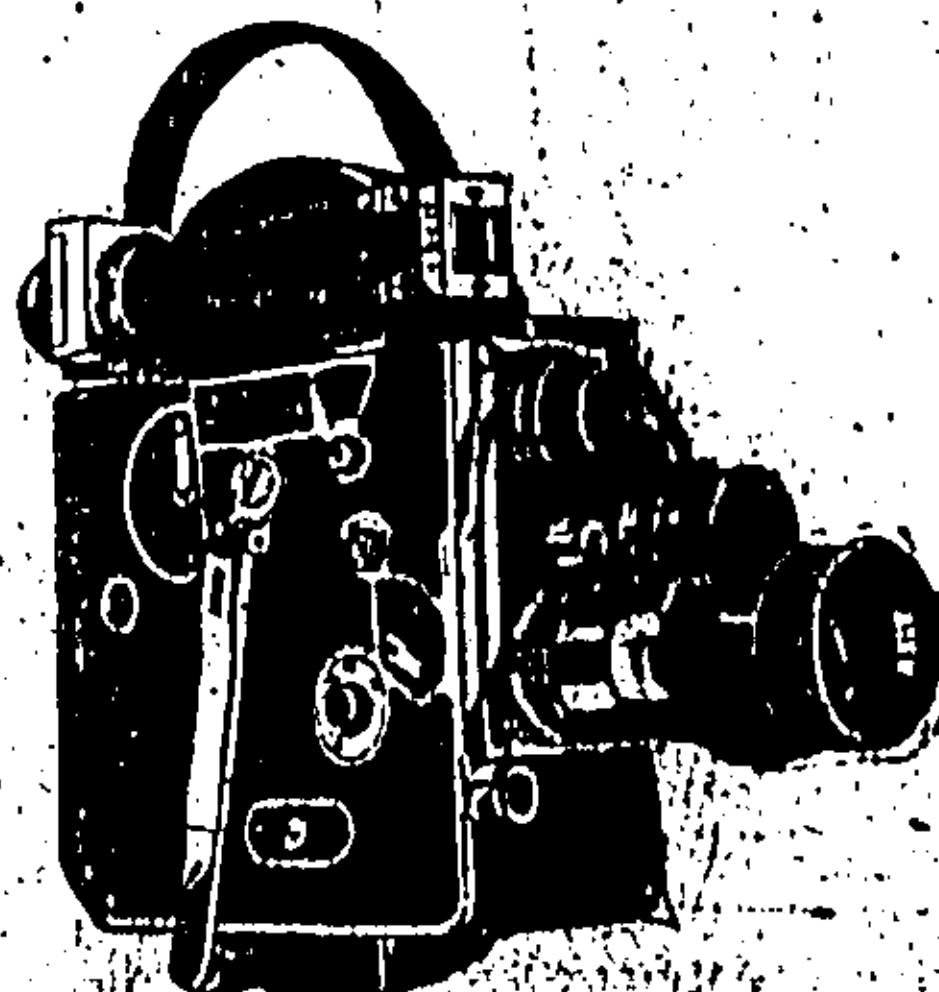
Replying to a question from Mr. John Platts-Mills, Independent Labour Member of Parliament, Mr. Bevin said that Glubb Pasha was, and had been for many years, a Commissioned Officer in King Abdullah's service before the conflict started between Transjordan and Israel.

In a further reply, Mr. Bevin said that at the beginning of November, there were 20 officers and 13 other ranks seconded from the British forces to the forces of Transjordan but they were not employed outside the Transjordan frontiers.—Associated Press.

ATOMIC WARFARE MANOEUVRES

London, November 6. Britain's first Navy-R.A.F. exercise under simulated atomic warfare conditions will take place next Spring.

The exercise will begin as soon as the Home Fleet returns from the West Indies cruise. No domestic ports will be used in the test, stated the National Civil Defence League, who have been in communication with the Admiralty on the subject.—Reuter.



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drinking has slumped and their members call for beer.

The saying that any marked change in the beer-drinking habits of the British people betokens a change in the national character is refuted by the experts.

They point to the rising cost of beer and briskly explain: "It is a matter of plain economics. People are drinking less beer not because they've lost their taste for it but because they can't afford it. Beer is weaker, the cost has gone up because of increased duties, spending money has shrunk."

Brewers, and beer-drinkers, cross their fingers every time they hear the word Budget. Pre-war, the beer duty varied from 1d. to 3d., a pint according to the strength. Today, when the duty is 2d. for a pint of average strength the Chancellor of the Exchequer collects 9d.

Mr. Dalton planned an extra penny on the pint last November. Sir Stafford Cripps followed up with another penny in April this year.

Gladstone Dictum

Back in 1913, when a pint of "mild" cost 2d., Chancellors were content to collect £13,654,000 a year from the nation's beer-drinkers. In 1938 the take was £26,580,000, and last year £264,112,000.

This year the Chancellor expects to collect £315,500,000, but the decline in beer-drinking may upset that calculation.

Lesser cause of reduced beer-drinking has been the decrease in strength. The great Gladstone, credited with saying many things did say, in 1880, that to make a full standard English beer you must use 8½lb. of malt (mainly barley and sugar) for every 99 gallons of finished liquor. He made that a standard, and it has remained — but only as a standard.

Just before the war the malt ingredient for the average brew was 62½lb. to every 99 gallons; it is now down to between 48lb. and 50lb. We have fallen a long way from the Gladstonian standard.

But there are thousands of people who acclaim the weaker beer as the army of temperance workers who fight an unending battle to keep the nation out of the bars. That battle has been joined nearly 100 years, and there have been results.

This is not the nation of beer-drinkers it used to be. Just before World War I the national thirst for beer—strong stuff then—averaged 224 pints a year per head of population. Currently, again counting all throats, the figure is averaging just over 115 pints a year.

Ladies' Day!

In the Middle Ages the British people drank beer, home-brewed mostly, much as the French now drink wine, but, since Henry VII has left on record that the Males of Honour at his Court had a daily beer allowance of 10 pints, it must have been a weak mixture.

Thousands who complain about the weaker beer do so at the risk of royal displeasure. Back in 1436 Henry VI, worried about the attacks on beer—they were mainly against the use of hops, which had only been recently introduced on the Continent—issued a Royal Proclamation ordering his sheriffs to deal firmly with such "malevolent persons." That Proclamation has never been countermanded.

*Comparison must be made by the month because beer consumption has regular seasonal variations. It is always high in August, low in March.

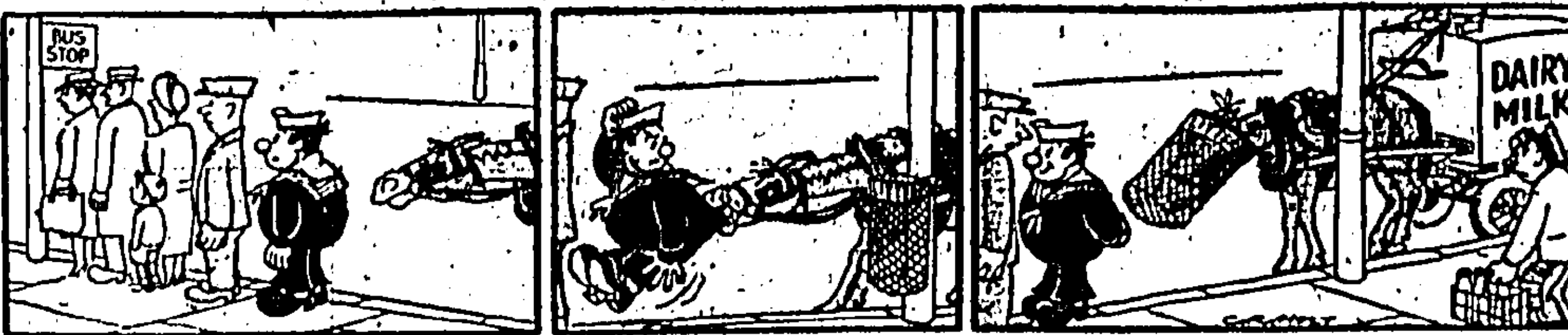
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What Would Spain Do In The

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FRANCO SITS ON A VERY PRETTY FENCE

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There will be no quick results in the American bid to persuade Spain to join the European anti-Communist group.

Much attention has been given to the American overtures and too little to the reactions of Franco and the Spanish people.

The chief factor in these reactions is that Spain has endured a three-year diplomatic and economic boycott at the hands of almost every nation in the world. It was imposed, Spain believes, because of her too-early realization of the danger of militant Communism.

The national character makes it certain that after three years in disgrace Spaniards are not now going to rush forward with open arms just because America suddenly decides that it is convenient to offer them a juicy slice of economic aid.

Spain is very well aware of her strategic value to the Western democracies. She is also deeply resentful of her long and often humiliating exclusion from the United Nations and world affairs.

Spain is firmly determined to stay profitably non-belligerent even though she strongly favours the anti-Communist bloc. And she is even more firmly determined to make America pay the top price for every act of Spanish assistance in future.

Firm Agreement

Whether or not this attitude will advance the ultimate interests of Spain is a matter of opinion, but at least her position should be understood if her future actions are to be accurately forecast.

Let us look at the political and strategic background as seen from the Western side.

Late in July American Service chiefs and the Secretary of State, Mr. George Marshall, reached a firm agreement that, for strategic reasons, Spain must be incorporated in the anti-Communist group of nations. President Truman, not sure of the effect of this decision upon American public opinion immediately before the Presidential elections, made his consent conditional upon the outcome of the Moscow talks.

When, by late August, it became obvious that an understanding with Russia was as remote as ever, the plan was set in motion with his approval.

US Annoyance

My information is that the British Government was kept fully informed of America's new intentions about Spain, but, despite pressure from Washington, Mr. Bevin insisted that political changes in the Franco regime must take place before the Labour Government could support any move for the inclusion of Spain in the Western group.

However, despite passive resistance by London to America's Spanish plans, Washington, by

early September, was sufficiently alarmed by the failure of the Moscow talks and the continued blockade of Berlin to decide to proceed alone.

Reports from her very able Madrid Charge d'Affaires, Mr. Paul T. Culbertson, convinced her that since there was not the slightest chance of bringing about major changes in the Franco regime she must accept it if she was to bring Spain into the Western bloc.

The divergence between the British and American attitudes was illustrated some days ago by the publicity given by the Foreign Office to an alleged anti-Franco agreement between the Spanish Monarchist leader, Senor Gil Robles, and the Socialist Senor Prieto. Coming precisely at the moment when American efforts to win Spain to active anti-Communist partnership were at their height, this aroused greater annoyance in Washington than in Madrid.

Those closest to Franco at the moment know beyond doubt that he was never less likely to hand over power to the Pretender, Don Juan, than he is today. His divines at least another ten years of undisputed power.

Facts, whether real or imaginary, between exiled Monarchist and Leftist elements will certainly not weaken Franco's hold on the country.

Now look at it from Spain's viewpoint. Spain considers herself not as a possible late recruit to the anti-Communist front but as the pioneer of a policy to which the Western Powers slowly, and very late in the day, are beginning to adhere.

Spain's Intentions

Immediately after the end of the war General Franco made diplomatic overtures through a third party for the formation of

a defensive anti-Communist bloc. The reply he received was the withdrawal of the heads of all diplomatic missions to Spain; the closure of the French frontier; a world economic boycott; accusations that his regime was a menace to world peace; and the most unflattering world Press criticisms of anyone since Hitler.

Whether this attitude to Spain was right or wrong is to-day beside the point. What is important is to understand the effects of the three years' boycott on the feelings of General Franco and the Spanish people towards the Western Powers.

Spain has been cold-shouldered. She has not liked it and she will not quickly forget it.

Spain's intentions have been underlined by her Foreign Minister, Senor Martin Artajo. In Buenos Aires he emphasised that his country has entered into no commitments and that in the event of war between East and West she intends to remain neutral.

A Latin Bloc

Indeed, General Franco and President Peron see themselves today as leaders of a third force in world politics—a Latin bloc, if you like, which includes South America and Portugal—a force which is in a position to make both possible belligerent groups pay highly for its favours.

Franco kept Hitler on the north side of the Pyrenees with a few polite speeches and a heavily armed frontier. He probably believes that Russia, too, if she ever got so far, would be content to stop there and consolidate.

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12.15 a.m.—"Remembrance Sunday" Re-

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11.25 a.m.—London Studio Melodies.

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11.50 a.m.—"The Queen of Sheba" Ba-

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Orch.

12.00 p.m.—Melodies from Melita Film.

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12.30 p.m.—Sports Results and Daily

Programme Summary.

12.40 p.m.—Kostelnik and His Orches-

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12.45 p.m.—"Grand Hotel"Albert

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Tina Turner, (Tenor)

1.15 p.m.—News, Weather Report and

Announcements.

1.25 p.m.—Interlude.

1.30 p.m.—A Popular Concert.

1.40 p.m.—Close Down.

1.55 p.m.—Programme Summary.

2.00 p.m.—Weekly News-Letter, (London

Relay)

6.15 p.m.—"Patti Amelien"Phila-

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6.20 p.m.—"Remembrance Day" — A

Talk by Admiral Sir Martin
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7.45 p.m.—"Looking Ahead" A Preview

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8.00 p.m.—An Appeal for the Hong

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8.15 p.m.—"Theatre" with Tommy Hand-

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8.20 p.m.—University Programme.

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9.05 p.m.—Symphony Concert.

10.05 p.m.—Radio News Reel, (London

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10.15 p.m.—Weather Report.

10.20 p.m.—Symphony Concert.

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11.00 p.m.—Dialogue Conducted by the

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11.15 p.m.—Weather Report, and Close

Down.

TITO SECRET PACT WITH US REPORTED

Rome, November 5.

An alleged secret Yugoslav-American pact under which Yugoslavia was said to be already demilitarizing her zone of Trieste, was reported by the Milan weekly newspaper, *Europeo*, today. The paper, giving no source for its claim, said the pact was signed by special emissaries of the United States on the island of Brioni, about 10 miles North West of Pola Istria, at the end of September.

The newspaper said that on her side of the bargain, the United States promised Yugoslavia "absolute security" if she was attacked by Soviet Russia or any Eastern bloc countries. The main clauses of the agreement, according to the *Europeo* are:

1.—The immediate withdrawal of Yugoslav troops and equipment, according to the Europeo, Territory and Istria, occupied by Yugoslavia.

2.—In case of an emergency, the United States Army would take over the whole of the Free Territory and the western part of Istria as far as the Wilson line.

3.—In case of an emergency, Yugoslavia would concede to American troops the corridor linking forces in Trieste with Adriatic Beachhead

those in Austria.

4.—A state of emergency to be defined as a case of direct attack by Russia on Yugoslavia, or an attack by Eastern bloc countries on Yugoslavia with Russia nominally remaining neutral.

5.—In the case of an Allied war, Yugoslavia would put at the disposal of the United States Army an ample beachhead on the Adriatic coast.

6.—That Yugoslavia renounced any claims on Carinthia.

The newspaper added that the American emissaries gave Yugoslavia the following undertakings:

1.—In case of an emergency, the United States to guarantee Yugoslavia complete security on her Western frontier.

2.—The United States will furnish Yugoslavia with industrial products which she has been receiving from Czechoslovakia and with electrical apparatus, machinery and petrol, which she has been getting from Hungary.

The *Europeo* claimed that Yugoslavia has not even one infantry company left in Trieste and Istria. Five thousand troops with equipment had evacuated the Territory in recent weeks, leaving about 20 men and no officers to guard the empty barracks.

Black Market In Cigarettes

Singapore, November 6.
American cigarettes will soon be exclusively a black market commodity in the British Crown Colony.
Their import has been banned under hard currency conservation regulations.

An official of the Imports and Exports Department, commenting that import permits no longer are being issued for US cigarettes and tobacco, said that existing stocks must have been "brought from Hong Kong before the ban went up here." As this supply gradually is exhausted, a price rise is anticipated. — Associated Press.

It added that 26 divisions which Marshal Tito armed for fear of a probable war with the Western powers had been moved to Yugoslavia's Eastern frontiers.

It said the "Berlin agreement" is based on the understanding that Britain should not interfere with the renewal of American-Yugoslav friendship.

The American signatories to the alleged agreement were based on Venice, while negotiating the agreement, it added.—Reuter.

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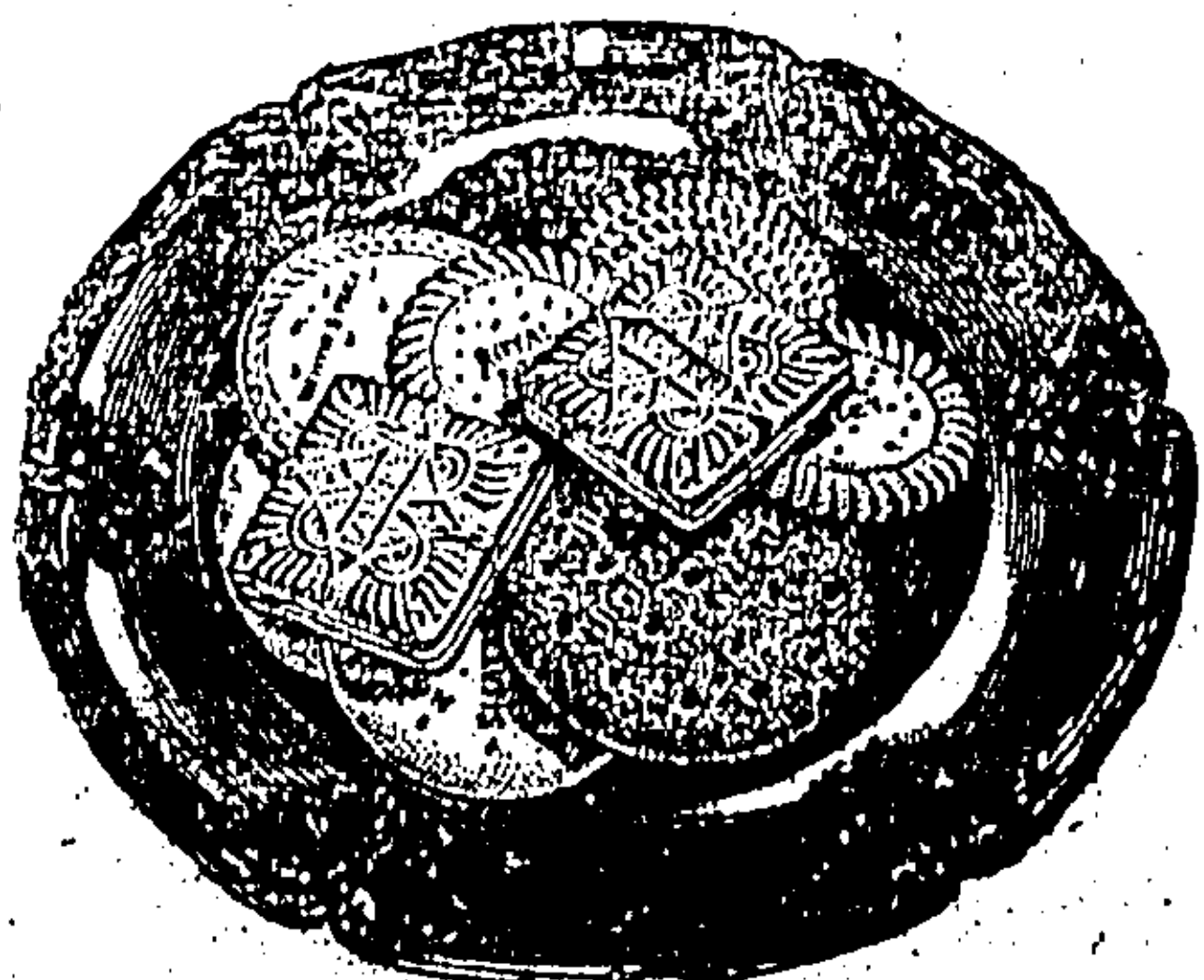
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PATRICK CAMPBELL'S
PIECEWell, what d'you think about
this alien business? Nice lark up,
eh?Here I am, a quiet Irish peasant
boy, trying to get along in your
beautiful country, washing every
day, and actually wearing shoes;
but if something doesn't happen
pretty quickly I'm going to be
lumped in with Brezovich, Czern-
owicz, Poppelouspoulos, Elmer
Zilleh, and Wung Lung Foo.Looking exactly like an English
gentleman employed as an assis-
tant in a department store in
Maida Vale, I shall be queuing
up outside Bow Street in a long
line of yashmaks, kaffans, saris,
tarbooshes, pigtails, Russian
blouses, sarongs, and Central
European belted mackintoshes
coming right down to the ankle.
Do you know what I'm going to
do in this queue? I'm going to
stick out about half a mile.I am wearing my neat blue
serge and semi-stiff collar, and
just in front of me is a bunch of
Andalusian gypsies, waiting to get
a permit to play the tarantella
on the seafloor at Eastbourne.
They are wearing spangles,
bangles, and forelocks glistering
with olive oil, and they've already
sniggered a couple of times at my
neatly rolled umbrella.Immediately behind me are
elderly Burmese in red plush
knickerbockers with a black pot
on his head; three inscrutable
Orientals; a couple of Scan-
dinavian world hikers, with hob-
nailed boots, hob-nailed knees,
and bulging rucksacks; and a
cluster of refugee Bulgarian busi-
ness men sitting on fibre suit-
cases bound with rope and stuffed
with diamonds.These people, despite their
varied costume and divergent
nationalities, are united in a
common aim. They wish to know
what I am doing in their queue.
I look to them exactly like an
English gentleman employed bythe haberdashery department of
a store in Maida Vale, and they
want to know why I'm taking up
space that would be better filled
by, say, the Lebanese traveller in
celluloid combs, who has been
trying to get his papers since
April.Their uneasiness reaches ex-
pression. The aliens' spokesman
is one of the inscrutable Chinese.
He trips forward noiselessly in
felt slippers. His hands are fold-
ed into the sleeves of his richly
embroidered coat."Excuse, please," he hisses. "On-
lible gentleman does us great
honour to find himself in our
poor queue. But does onlible
gentleman, perhaps, seek motor
diving licence department?"The other aliens drop what they
are doing and gather round. Black
eyes, hot eyes, yellow eyes, all
eyes watch me guardedly. Per-
haps I am an agent-provocateur,
sent here by the Imperial Secret
Police in Buckingham Palace as
a side-swipe in the drive to clean
up the opium trade."Driving licence?" I am off-
hand with the inscrutable Ori-
ental. "No, as a matter of fact, old
boy, I'm trying to get a labour
permit too. You see, I am also an
alien."Subdued babel arises among
the crowd. A group of plat-
fopped mothers from the Congo-
basin, wearing grass skirts,
mackintoshes, and white tennis
shoes, go into a short tribal dance
to drive away the evil spirits.An old man in a bowler hat
and long black beard is thrust
forward.
"My mister," he says, "par-
don me, but we believe do not
do you so fine English gentle-
man's mess in our queue for
alieness bee. We are poor people.
We do not ask trouble. Move
on!"Suddenly knives flash. An In-
dian fakir opens the lid of his
basket to reveal an uncaring
cobra. A group of African medicsstudents produce assegais from
the legs of their flannel trousers.
The plate-lipped mothers from
the Congo basin are already stick-
ing pins into clothes bearing a
terrifying resemblance to myself.I make a quick break for a
taxi.But now I have a plan. I'm an
alien, eh? Right, I'm jolly well
going to be alien.The scene is again Bow Street,
on the following morning. The
air is blue with the smoke of
camp fires. My fellow-alienness
have been here all night. The
Andalusian gypsies are whipping
up breakfast, garlic on fried
bread. The fakirs rise from their
hailed beds, stretching them-
selves. The Orientals pick in a
desultory way at liver sausage
with very chopsticks.And then, suddenly, round the
corner comes a curious-looking
equine. A very old and hairy
donkey, pulling behind it an
enormous suitcase-car. And per-
ched on the box is myself, Pad-
rick O'Campbell—first cou-
ple in the O'Campbell family of the
Irish and direct descendant of
Rory MacFlory O'Moore, the
King of Ireland's son.I am wearing a conical hat with
a clay pipe stuck in the band, a
frock-coat, knee-breeches, and a
very long upper lip. I am muni-
fied with a bow tie, and a black
saddle of potten protrudes from
my hip pocket. I hit the donkey
a blow with my shillelagh and
burst into song:"The English kem on thired I
teach us thier way."
And I finish up fer bein' what
we yer,
But yer might as well go thru
I catch a moonbeam,
Or I light a penny candle from
a aquar."I rein back the donkey, and
both wheels fall off the outside-
car. Two pigs, a goat, and a
flock of hens burst out of the
box on the back. I examine thedebris, humorously scratching
my head with the knob of the
shillelagh."Shire and begob and be-
jabber," is my comment, "it's
world's in a terrible state of
chaos."The other aliens cluster round,
wide-eyed.I immediately wrench off my
frock-coat and trail it up and
down the pavement in front of
them."Come up owa that, ye
heathens," is my cry, "an
thread on the nail of me conti!"They fall back, intimidated by
the shillelagh. There is a stir
among the crowd, and a police-
man pushes his way through."Come, come, sir," he says
(Hendon again), "we cannot
have this disturbance. May I
inquire what is the matter?"I stand back, arms akimbo.
"Belinid-ne Aire Gnothul
Eachtrach na h-Eireann a Jar-
rauth agus a Eileann leis seo ar
nach n-aon le na mbainnean
leight.""Excuse me, sir, I don't
quite—""Would yer wish, Can't you
hear me talkin' to yu?"I've learnt all this off the
front page of my passport. "We,
Minister for External Affairs of
Ireland, hereby request and re-
cure all those whom it may con-
cern to allow the bearer to pass
freely"—etc., etc.)I carry on: "...leight do
shealtheir seo dul ar ubhaigh
yah bac can cost ague..."The unfamiliar syllables seem
to madden the other aliens. A
tiny Indian fakir climbs straight
up a rope and vanishes into thin
air. The air is full of cries of
"Caramba—ful! Teufel—nem
d'ur nom d'ur nom..."The policeman begins to lose
his temper.I shall have to ask you to
move on, sir, or take your place
in the queue in an orderly
fashion."I throw the potato at one of the
plate-lipped Congo basin ladies,
and take a long drag at my black
pipe."Baldh feldhm san phas so in-
smalortha so thio!" I roar. "This
passport is good for the follow-
ing countries: Belgium, Denmark,
Egypt, Switzerland, France,
Netherlands, Italy, Norway, Por-
tugal, Canada, Newfoundland, the
Valcan City, Sweden."The policeman suddenly leaps
upon me and imprisons my arm
in a half-Nelson. More policemen
come running. "Sir, Bow Street
I've laid out 27 of them with my
shillelagh by the time that they
came into the Black Maria.""The Valcan City," I shout.
"Sweden, and the United King-
dom!"They slam the door. As we
drive away the wondering aliens
hear the strains of "The Harp
that once through Tara's halls"
booming out through the grille.Aliens! I'll give yer aliens, and
so—according to the most recent
figure—will 2,000,000 others.WHAT THE CHINESE PRESS
IS SAYINGKung Sheung Man Po: Gener-
ally speaking the step taken by
Government in requisitioning
vacant premises is appreciable.
It may have some effect in cur-
bing the key money racket and
discouraging high rentals. The
solution to the housing problem is,
however, a long way off.Since Liberation, plans for
dealing with the housing problem
have not been lacking. The
majority of these plans were
not practical—like putting the
cars before the house. The
Leighton Hill Government flats
are a typical example.If instead of spending the mil-
lions of dollars for accommodation
for a handful of European
civil servants, the money was
used in building new houses for
the common people, the problem
would have been substantially
solved.However, the latest step by
Government in requisitioning vac-
ant places is in the right direc-
tion. No matter what the motive
is, the measure is a good one.We have previously time and
time put forward suggestions
that Government should con-
struct houses on all available
vacant land and let them out
to the public at reasonable ren-
tals. That the distance between
urban and suburban areas should
be shortened by improving com-
munications and thus relieve
congestion in the city; that as-
sistance should be made available
to those who wish to own their
own homes, and that restrictions
should be placed on those who
build for profit.

Deeply Rooted

New Life Evening Post: Re-
quisitioning of vacant houses is
the wisest move Government has
made since Liberation. Since
the end of the war, most of the
measures adopted by Govern-
ment have been a continuation
of pre-war policies. The latest
step in seizing vacant flats falls
in line with socialist policies
now in practice in England.In Hong Kong the influence of
the privileged class is deeply
rooted. Government should there-
fore be on guard against theircounter-moves. Already there
are reports that a move is afoot
to halt any further requisitioning
and to secure the withdrawal of
the requisitioning notices against
certain premises.Sing Tao Wan Po: Housing is
still an acute problem. To solve
the problem, Government should
make use of the hundreds of
vacant flats in the Colony and
encourage building at the same
time.The recent move at re-
quisitioning vacant flats and al-
locate them to the public at fair
rentals is an exceedingly welcome
measure.

Courage

National Times: Government's
move in requisitioning vacant
flats is enthusiastically support-
ed by the public. The step
shows courage and determination.Ta Kung Pao: This requisition-
ing of 35 vacant premises by
Government for letting out to
the public at fair rentals is wel-
come. There are many land-
lords who prefer their premises
vacant to letting them out at
reasonable rents.Consequently, great hardships
are imposed on those already
burdened by the high cost of liv-
ing and in need of suitable hous-
ing.The number of premises re-
quisitioned is small. But it can
be taken as a stern warning to
landlords who are out to pro-
fit. The trend of current
events indicates that a fall in
the population is not to be ex-
pected. Therefore to relieve the
housing shortage more houses
should be built.At the same time the people
should be encouraged to give
up the idea of owning a house
and to accept the idea of renting
a house. The present re-
quisitioning should be taken
as a lesson to those who are
in need of accommodation.

Weaving

Wai Kiu Yee Po: On the sur-
face, it would appear that there
is the prospect of the local weavingindustry are bright as there are
so many factories here.Unfortunately, when looking
deeper into the situation, one
sees only a limited number of
them who have orders from
abroad. This unhealthy sit-
uation has been confirmed by
the Weaving Factories Association.
Of the 325 weaving factories in
the Colony only 16 per cent are
operating on a fulltime basis.
Seventeen per cent has suspended
business.The depression in the weaving
industry concerns the economic
prosperity of the Colony. Unem-
ployment affects the stability of
our social order. We, therefore,
should not allow the question to
be left unattended. A way
must be devised to bring down
the cost of production; the
quality of the products must be
improved and the price of cotton
yarn must be brought down.It is now time for Government
to take action to prevent the
closing down of the weaving
factories.

Fires

New Life Evening Post: It is
understood that the Fire Brigade
has discovered considerable
amount of celluloid and film
stored within the city limits.
These being the special storage
for celluloid, it is generally
dealt with in the same way as
with films. Unfortunately, the
storage space for films in the city
is insufficient. In such circum-
stances, it would be unwise to
impose any strict restrictions.The solution lies in encouraging
merchants to build more go-
downs for the storage of films
and other similar dangerous
materials.If merchants are properly ad-
vised and given the necessary
assistance, they would be willing
to invest capital in this direction.
At present, the power of re-
quisitioning land and other prop-
erty in Government hands and
which could easily be used for
the construction of godowns.The welfare and safety of the
public should be given a greater
priority by the construction of
more dangerous goods go-
downs.Remember, your hair
gets hungry too...Hair grows from its roots.
Feed the roots and the hair
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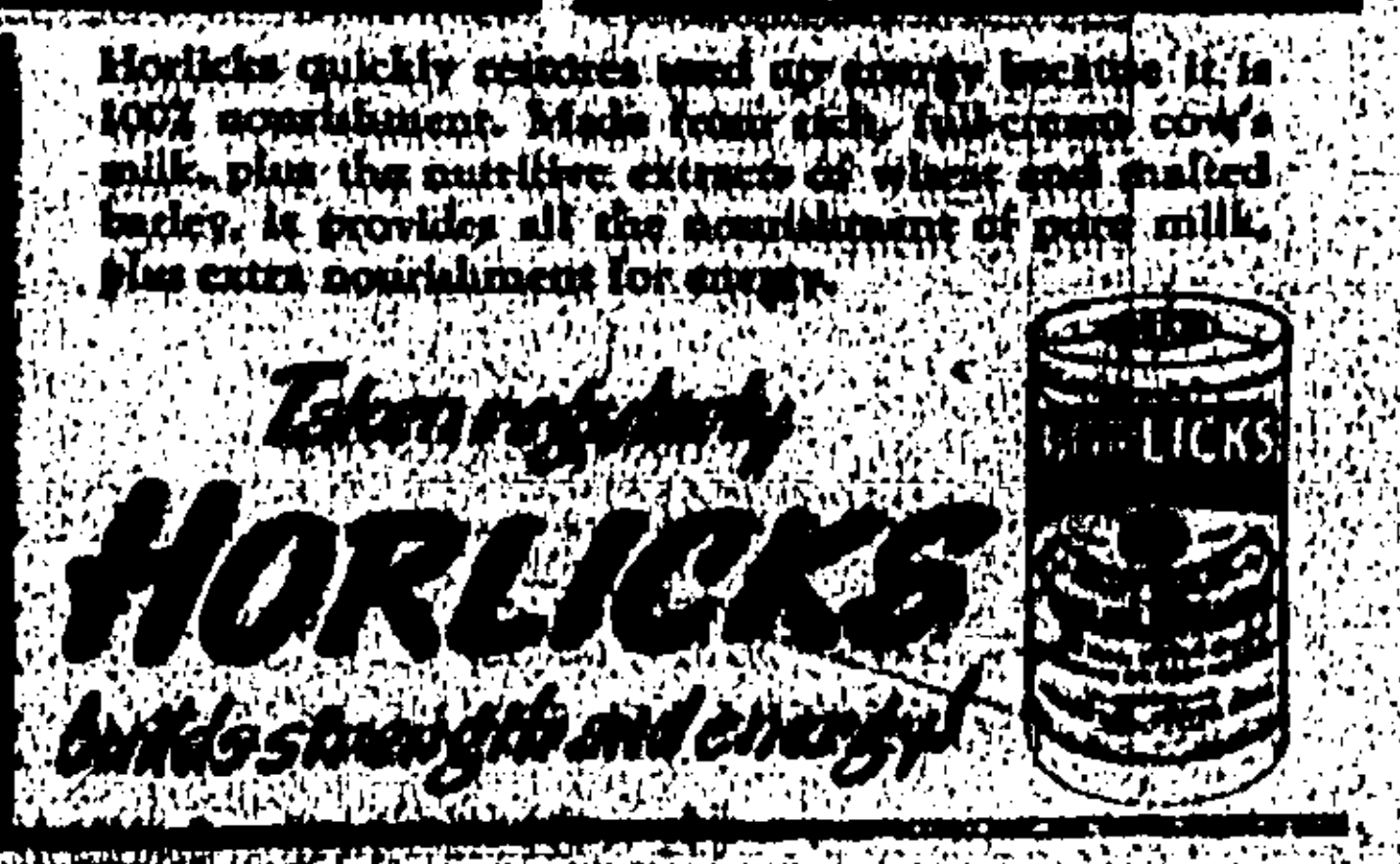
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Hitchcock Sets New
Record At Elstree

London, November 6.

In suburban Elstree, the film director, Alfred Hitchcock, has set up a world record which makes other directors gasp.

The record feat was the operation of his technicolour camera steadily for a 9½ minute stretch on a scene of a new picture he made here.

Crooner's
Petition
Dismissed

London, November 6.

A young dance band singer, who wanted to return to crooning, and her 47-year-old husband had the High Court judge dismiss his petition.

The husband, Boris Kramers, a doctor of law from Brussels, charged that his wife Elsie, aged 29, had been living with another man since she left him in 1943.

The wife, 29, who sang in three bands before her marriage, under the name of Carol Taylor, said her husband was "a very nice man" but "not a very good one."

The couple were married in 1937, and have one child.

Policies On
China Not
Consistent

Topeka, November 6.

Congressman Walter H. Judd, Republican, says American foreign policy in China is inconsistent and is helping Russia in its move to control all of Asia.

American policy is inconsistent, Mr. Judd said in an interview, because "we have said to European countries: we will help you recover, while to China we say you recover, then we will help you."

"The Russians are not too much concerned about Berlin," Mr. Judd said, "they are keeping us busy in Berlin while they are going to town in Asia."

"The biggest assignment of Communism in the United States is to stop American assistance to China," Associated Press.

It is unheard of. Three minutes is a long time, three little minutes which in most studios is more than a day's work.

Hitchcock, the master of suspense, who is at home in film studios here and in Hollywood, thinks he has developed a new picture-making technique which may have some resounding artistic effects and will speed up production.

He does it by literally putting his camera, which moves as nimbly as any actor, right among the players. It is one of them, and the illusion attained is that its lens is the eye of the ultimate spectator who feels he is right in there with the unfolding story.

Crawling Camera

Hitchcock builds as many as half a dozen sets in advance of the shooting, and then puts players and camera through a sustained sequence of acting in one terrific take. He almost does away with the film editor, and the illusion attained is that its photographed, is virtually ready for the screen.

His "T.M.T." as it is known—the 10-minute take—promises to save time and save money, but it imposes new burdens on actors and technicians.

"Why I feel I'm in a new profession," said Ingrid Bergman after one of Hitchcock's long-distance exposures.

The miracle is accomplished with the "crawling camera" which seldom blinks out to shift to other viewpoints. The camera saunters among the players. When they go upstairs it goes with them and when they step outside it comes along. It follows them everywhere.—Associated Press.

London Ban On
Processions

London, November 5.

Political processions will be banned in London for a further three months, the Home Secretary, Mr. James Chuter Ede, stated in a Parliamentary reply today.

Last summer, Mr. Chuter Ede put a three-months ban on political processions because of clashes between Fascists and Communists which followed a procession led by Sir Oswald Mosley, leader of the pre-war British Union of Fascists.

Mr. Chuter Ede stated today that the Commissioner of Police had said that his ordinary powers would not be sufficient to enable him to prevent serious public disorder if political processions were held in London.—Reuter.

Just Trying
To Get Away

Pittsburgh, November 6.
He was just trying to get away from it all, Gilbert Diggs, 55, told police who found him hanging from a roof ledge, three floors up. His wife was clinging to his wrist, trying to keep him from falling. Police rescued him after handcuffing one of Diggs' hands and getting a hook under his belt.

At the police station where he was charged with disorderly conduct, Diggs explained: "I was just trying to get away from an argument with my wife." Associated Press.

Japanese
Experiments
On Cancer

Washington, November 5.

Dr. Ryojun Kinoshita, Japanese scientist, reported on recent cancer experiments in a talk before United States Public Health Service cancer experts today.

He told the staff of the Service's national cancer institute that experiments at Osaka University medical school showed cancer could be caused in rats by the introduction of a non-infectious virus.

He said the experiments also revealed what appeared to be type cancer.

Kinoshita, professor of pathology and chief of cancer research at Osaka University, is best known in the United States for his work with azo dyes. He reported from earlier experiments that azo dyes could cause cancer of the liver.—United Press.

British Jet Sets
Amazing Record

London, November 6.

A De Havilland Mark V Vampire Jet plane made a record flight yesterday from Hatfield, Hertfordshire, to Rome.

The plane is to be demonstrated to Italian aviation experts in a two days display. The flight had been delayed since Monday because of poor weather.

The Vampire landed at 12.38 GMT after completing the flight to Rome in two hours 53 minutes against a normal flight of more than five hours.

A De Havilland official who received the news at Hatfield soon after the plane landed said that the pilot had previously calculated that the journey would take him two hours 52 minutes.

It is the fastest flight ever made from here to Rome, said the official, "but the important thing is not the speed because the plane was flying only at cruising speed and not at fighting speed."

"Three-In-One" Plan
To Simplify Chinese

Nanking, November 5.

The latest suggestion for avoiding writer's cramp by "simplifying" the written Chinese language, has come from a shy, short, bearded bank librarian.

He is intent on squeezing an estimated 90,000-word language to one-third its present working size.

Wu Chit-yuan, 41, native of Chekiang province, is not the first man to think about complicated language. But his approach is fresh: "Three-in-one" he calls it.

The single-syllabled Chinese language usually expresses an article or thing in more than one character. Every character itself is made up of two or three or more ideographs.

In Wu's system, "library" for instance, is written as the character for book with a square around it, although orthodox Chinese reader "library" as "tu shu kuan", three characters meaning "house of columns." The characters for "ancient" and "story" are fused to mean "story."

However, "library" although appearing as one character in Wu's method, would still be pronounced "tu shu kuan" in three syllables while "story" would be spelled out "ancient event."

The Formula

His formula is to compress such nouns into one character by eliminating unnecessary dashes, dots, strokes and slants.

Wu claims that educated people will recognise the compound characters by instinct. He has

compiled 3,000 compressed words thus far, and hopes shortly to erect a working system founded on 5,000 compressed characters.

The vocabulary of the man in the street rarely exceeds 10,000 characters and it is said that no one knows all of the 90,000 characters in the Chinese language.

Wu, however, has met up with some stiff barriers in his campaign to revise the printed language.

Printers and publishers are not willing to lay out capital to buy new type even if Wu was able to get it erected in the first place. The Ministry of Education, speaking for the Government, feels that no real labour saving will result as it will be necessary for students to learn each component character anyway, before being able to recognise the compressed form.

Purists Object

As a consequence, Wu's new method probably will go the way of "Latinised Chinese," which is not Chinese at all, but a Romanised version, as well as phonetic Chinese.

Wu's simplified writing and phonetic Chinese are under fire from purists who charge departure from tradition. Latinised Chinese has failed to catch on for the same reason.

Wu says his chief aim is to simplify writing and type-setting, since the language will continue to be read as formerly each component syllable being pronounced in full despite its briefer written form. He has tried without success to have several newspapers or magazines print a sample article in his new compounds, but they have been disappointing. "But never mind," he philosophises. "That's how they treat all inventors at first."—United Press.

Super-Sub
Building
In America

Washington, November 6.

Senator Raymond E. Baldwin said today that the United States is building super-submarines "equal or better" than anything afloat.

Senator Baldwin, a member of the Senate Armed Services Committee, also reported the Navy had given top priority to counter-measures against the Russian Schnorkel type of submarine. Reviewing the United States military strength in an article in the American Magazine, Senator Baldwin said the United States Navy is larger than the navies of the rest of the world combined.

The Russians have 200 or more Schnorkel type submarines but "our naval experts are not blind to this danger."

The United States fleet now has 650 combat and auxiliary ships, including two battleships, 11 large carriers, two light carriers, seven escort carriers, 25 cruisers, 134 destroyers, 70 submarines, 151 amphibious vessels and 250 other craft.—United Press.

PERCY FEARON
DEAD

London, November 5.
Percy Fearon, cartoonist, died today. He was 71.

Fearon was born in Shanghai and studied art in New York City. Under the pen name of "Poy" he produced 10,000 cartoons in 34 years. He retired as London Evening News cartoonist in 1938.—Associated Press.

Nanking Opinions
On Aid Prospects

Nanking, November 6.

The return of President Truman to the White House does not appear to have squashed the Chinese hopes of greater American aid.

It is conceded, however, that this may not tone the scale expected from the Dewey administration.

Despite initial official disappointment, the general expectation prevailed that the Truman administration is likely to increase Chinese aid in view of the mounting Communist threat.

It was pointed out that one advantage which may be gained in Mr. Truman's victory is continuity in the China policy.

Legislator Fan Yuh-ching said there is no fundamental difference between Truman's and Dewey's China stands and Mr. Truman's victory is likely to produce better results than expected.

Legislator Chiu Chang-wel, close adviser to Vice-President Li Tsung-shan, believed that President Truman's future China policy will be as positive as that advocated by Dewey but it was feared that aid would be limited because United States official conceptions of the China situation are unchanged.

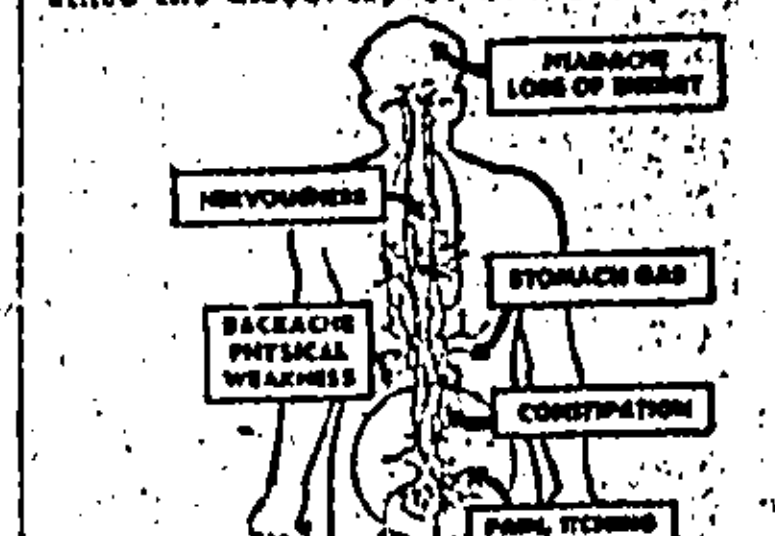
Another legislator, Liu Fung-ching, in a criticism of the Chinese Government, commented that the election of President Truman is a "great psychological blow" to the Government.

He said that with Dewey's defeat have gone Chinese hopes for

greater aid and an early outbreak of a third world war.—United Press.

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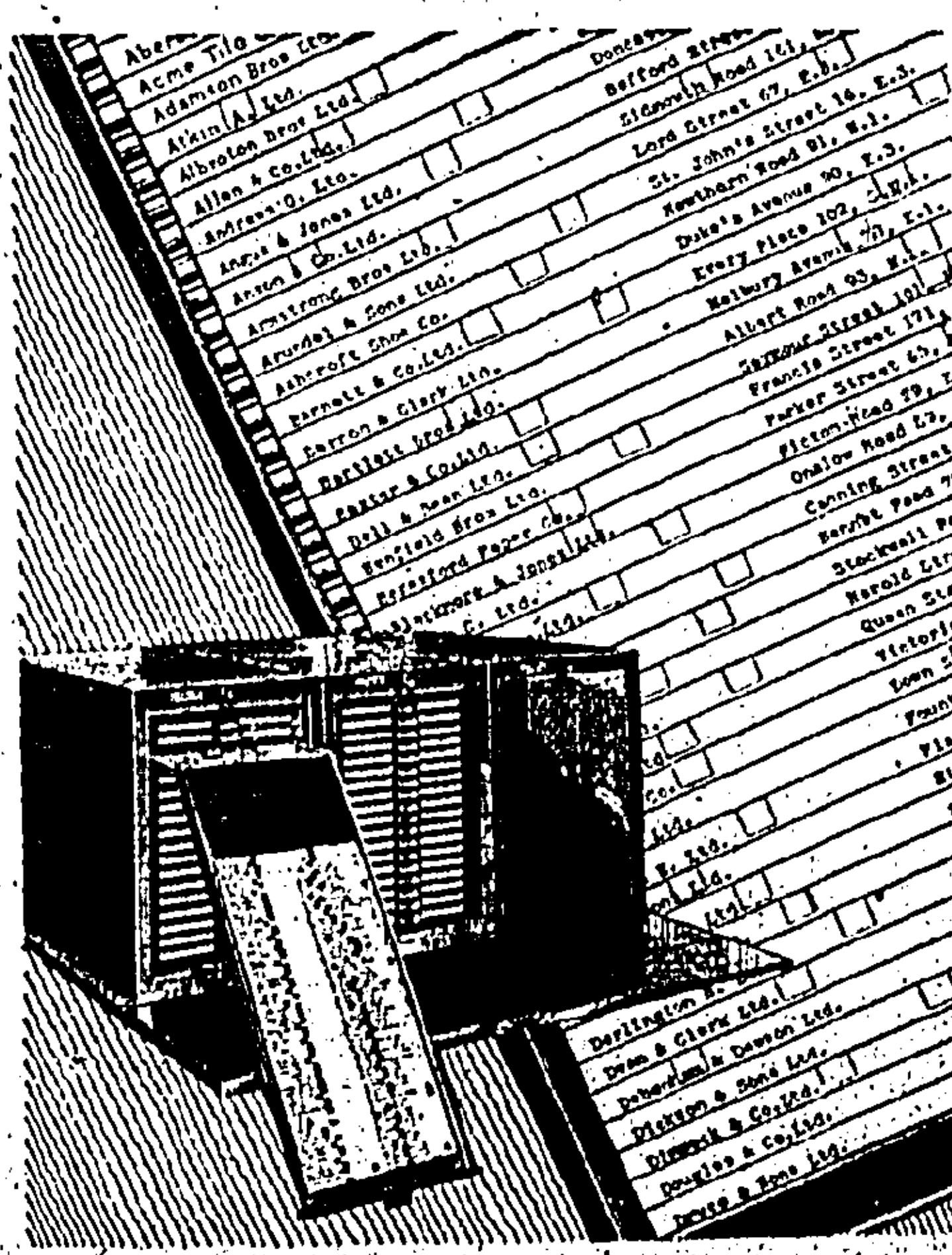
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Outposts Of Medicine

How Western Hospitals Spread Methods Of The West In China

By J.R. Rose

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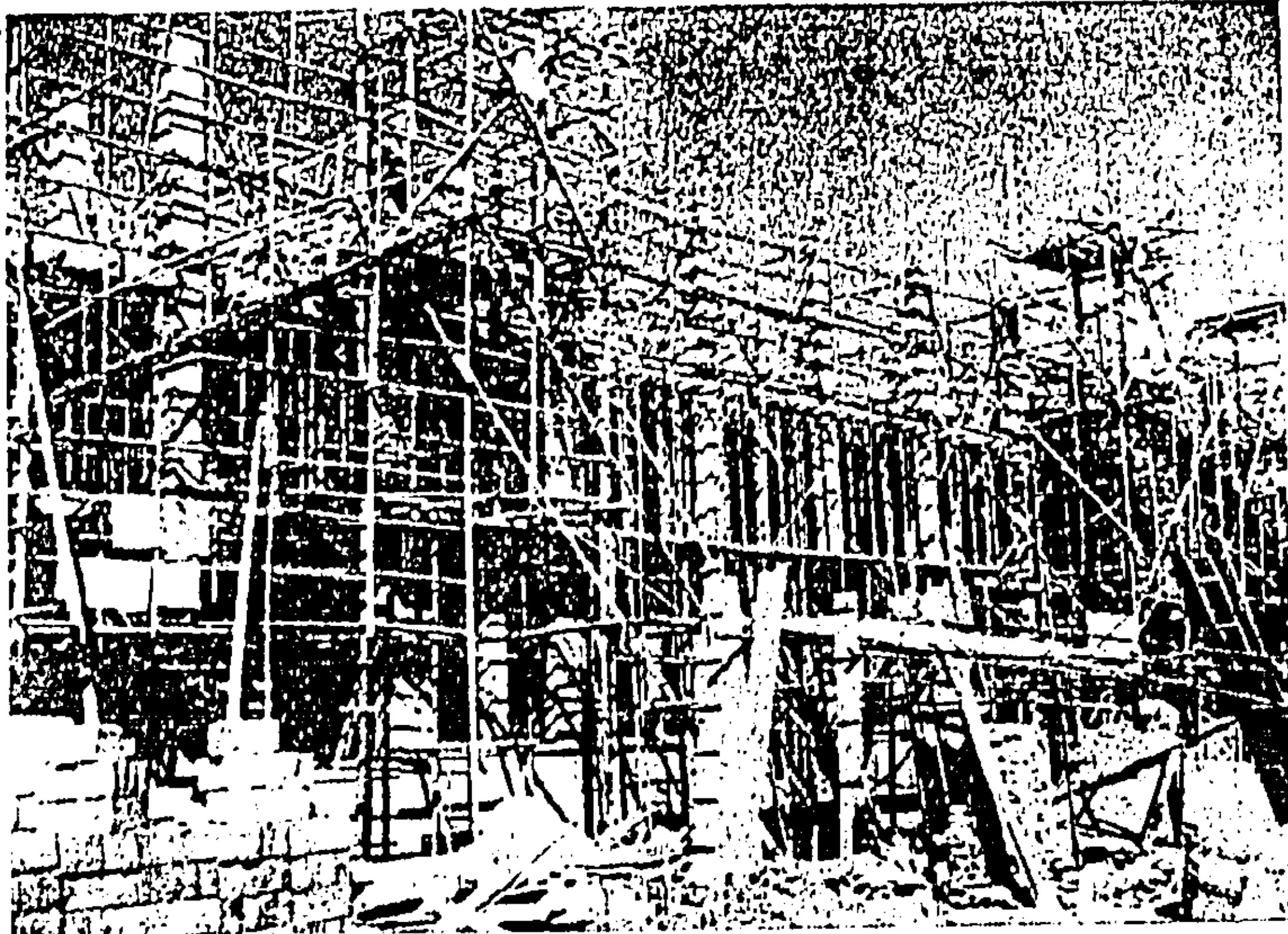
"Never a dull moment" may fairly be said to describe the life of a doctor who works in a Mission Hospital in China. He has to be administrator, teacher, builder and financial juggler, engineer, preacher and doctor in turn. Adaptability is the keynote of this work, and in the change from being a simple specialist to becoming a general practitioner he can find all the interest, zest and satisfaction that one can ask of life.

This is not the life of peace and security that some crave for; it is a running battle with disease and natural calamities which at times take on epidemic proportions that strain the resources beyond the limit. In fighting for patients' lives at the bedside or in the operating theatre we are part of a drama as we search for supplies back up country there is almost bound to be done in planning out, under financial difficulties, to make only meet there is often waiting uncertainty, but all the time comes the gratitude and joy of patients restored to health—patients who have become our friends in hospital, and are now ready to return to their homes and work.

No Stops

Throughout infectious, floods, brigandage and economic chaos these hospitals have carried on, until now the Chinese Government has finally recognised their worth and invited them to extend their work of healing and training new doctors and nurses.

Western medicine was introduced into China over 100 years ago. Robert College of St. Thomas's Hospital went to Canton in the early 1840s and came to be called there "the Chinaman's friend," but even today the country folk rely mainly on their native medicines and only too often do we see hopeless cases who come to the "foreign" hospital after all other treatment has proved unavailing. So many of these could be saved by early operation or proper medication that we have had to leave our doors and go into the villages to treat all people there and teach them simple hygiene and public health measures. At the Methodist Hospital, Fatsan—for instance, which is now appealing for funds in the Colony—teams of doctors and nurses are sent to



The new block of the Methodist Hospital at Fatsan, which is now in the course of erection. The Hospital is now appealing for funds to enable the work to go on and develop.

"The Captain"

Tuberculosis is the biggest single medical problem in South China. It is still, as in Sir William Osler's day, the "captain of the Armies of death." It claims untold numbers of victims in all ages and classes. The recent anti-tuberculosis campaign in Hong Kong coincides with a similar campaign in China. As a part of this the Fatsan Hospital plans to open a sanatorium on the newly built block of the hospital, where 40 patients will live in an open air life with all facilities for the modern treatment of tuberculosis at hand, and occupational therapy and a communal life will be organised. This experiment may well prove to be of great importance in the search for the solution of this vital problem in which Hong Kong and Kwangtung are inseparably linked.

From a main hospital such as this one in Fatsan with its 150 beds (soon to be 200) and nursing school of 80 students, other smaller hospitals and clinics are organised further afield in the rural areas. By frequent interchange of staff, all on the same rates of salary, the work of healing and training is gradually spread throughout a district.

FINANCES

On the financial side, only a few patients can bear all the cost of their treatment but all pay as they are able and bring rice and sometimes other commodities and sometimes other commodities and sometimes other commodities.

The Methodist Missionary Society in London pays an annual grant towards expenses. The help of the British Red Cross, UNRRA and other agencies has been of inestimable value in the rehabilitation since the war.

On the medical side, Fatsan hospital has been most fortunate in having the friendly co-operation of the Hong Kong medical

profession. At the moment a lad from Fatsan is convalescing in the Colony after a serious and rare operation on his heart for a congenital heart disease that nearly cost him his life. Others are now receiving radium and X-ray treatment in Hong Kong. The pathological services, too, are always willing to give advice and help. In the way we can provide a reasonably complete medical service to a large number of poor and needy people who would otherwise have no contact with modern medicine.

Never Closed

The difficulties that have faced Mission Hospital in the last 100 years have often appeared insuperable at the time, but yet these hospitals have never entirely closed their doors. With the loyal and experienced staffs of Chinese and foreigners working in harmony, they have surmounted all hindrances. And today they are the faith to plan ahead, believing that they are needed as much as ever and that new opportunities must be seized whenever they present themselves. The campaign against disease and ignorance is far from over, but with the new remedies that modern medical science has placed in our hands, we have weapons that are far more effective than those used by the great pioneers who founded these hospitals. It is to be hoped that our courage and devotion may match our new powers, and that financial support may come to strengthen our arms.

Red Missionaries In The Millions

Des Moines, Iowa, November 6.

Eric Johnston proposed yesterday that the United States underwrite a world wide programme of industrialisation to raise living standards and thus combat Communism.

Mr. Johnston, President of the Motion Picture Association of America, returned recently from a 10-week trip to Europe during which he visited Soviet Russia and a number of other countries behind the iron curtain.

"The Democratic world at the moment is not winning in the struggle against international Communism," he said.

"Industrial and agricultural production has materially risen in Western Europe, but many of the basic causes of Communism still remain."

"I have become intensely aware that international Communism is not withering away. It is on the ascendancy. The missionaries of Moscow number in the millions. They are in every country."

Mr. Johnston said there are at least five different kinds of Communists: the Lenin type, which, he said, includes the Politburo and others who rule Russia—"cold, cynical realists, unswerving

by emotion," the intellectual Communist, the "man against the world" Communist, the emotionally immature Communist, and the "stomach Communist" who turns to Communism in sheer desperation.

Of the last type, Mr. Johnston remarked, "saving the world means little or nothing to him. He wants to save himself. He is hungry."

The motion picture executive said that America's economic recovery programme is one answer to "stomach Communism," but it isn't enough.

"To undertake and underwrite a programme of world wide industrialization on a businesslike basis is a part of our responsibility," he declared.

"I should like to see us set up a permanent world economic development corporation." This would mean a fusion of Government funds and the capital of private enterprise. — Associated Press.

LIFE IN BERLIN TODAY

John Fisher, Special Correspondent in Berlin, has been asked to answer twenty questions which the average man and woman wants to know about life in the German capital. Here are the questions and John Fisher's answers:—

1. Do you see any Russians?—The Russians keep mostly to their own sector of Berlin, but they sometimes drive through the British sector en route to their barracks or to change guard at the Soviet war memorial.
2. Can you drive through the Russian sector?—I can take a drive any time I want in the Russian sector of Berlin and depend on being back for tea provided there is no special check on. But the Russians don't like you if you bring a camera.
3. How is the air lift going?—Well, we are getting more planes and bigger airfields. The experts say the lift can be kept up indefinitely.
4. Can the Russians stop the air lift?—Not without committing acts of war.
5. Will the Russians lift the blockade?—Not unless they think they are going to gain by doing so.
6. What does Berlin look like?—The leaves now falling are uncovering the ruins that seemed hidden all summer. The city by day looks bare and ugly again. But by night, with the street lamps mostly out for lack of electricity, we have some of the strange beauty we knew during our own black-out.
7. Is there anything in the shops?—Yes. Porcelain, leather work fur coats, radios, toys, books and carpets can all be bought uncontrolled for West marks (which are worth about four Russian marks). And, of course, wool coats, etc., are to be had for coupons. Of the Black Market you can buy Polish coal at £20 per ton and petrol at 18s. per gallon.
8. How are the Berliners taking it?—The Berliner would like more news of what is going to happen to him in the future. But meantime he is going ahead repainting and rebuilding whatever he can.
9. Is the blockade severe?—Yes. No one is starving, but it is not pleasant to have electricity for only two hours a day (perhaps from two to four o'clock in the morning), and to be cut off from the radio in the same way.
10. Are there any British children in Berlin?—Certainly. About 500. And they have school, dancing class, and on the whole quite a good time.
11. How are the British families taking things?—Well, but some of them find it a little unrea-

sonable that the Whitehall treasury should charge them the same rent for a house without electricity and with the extra danger of burst pipes that they did before the blockade.

Cheap Club Food

12. What's the food like?—Most British families have to eat out at clubs at least once a week to make the rations go round, but club food is not expensive, and if you can find a friend who has some dollars there is the Intourist restaurant in the Russian sector of Berlin, where caviare combines with the wines of the Crimea.

13. Can you get a glass of beer?—Yes, also gin and Italian, but there are few of those alcoholics parties that the British used formerly to throw to stay boredom.

14. What do you need from home?—Nothing really unless you've forgotten to bring out fleeced boots and candles. The British Naaft shop sells scent, portable gramophones, toys, Wellington boots, biscuits, coffee and knitting wool.

15. Do you get hot baths?—Two a week at the moment.

16. What's transport like—how do you get about?—Buses and trams run and there's some essential petrol for British business men and officials. Germans get petrol for business, too, but no German cars are allowed to run in Berlin on Sunday.

Candles And Cold

17. What do you do in the evenings?—Stump one's feet, keep warm and light the candles. Cinemas with their own generators are open. There are also candle-light cabarets.

18. What's it like for the British soldier in Berlin?—He has far more to do than when he first arrived here. More guard duty and more maintenance chores. The Berlin central Naaft, with cafeteria, billiards rooms, ping-pong and W.V.S. helpers, is first-class.

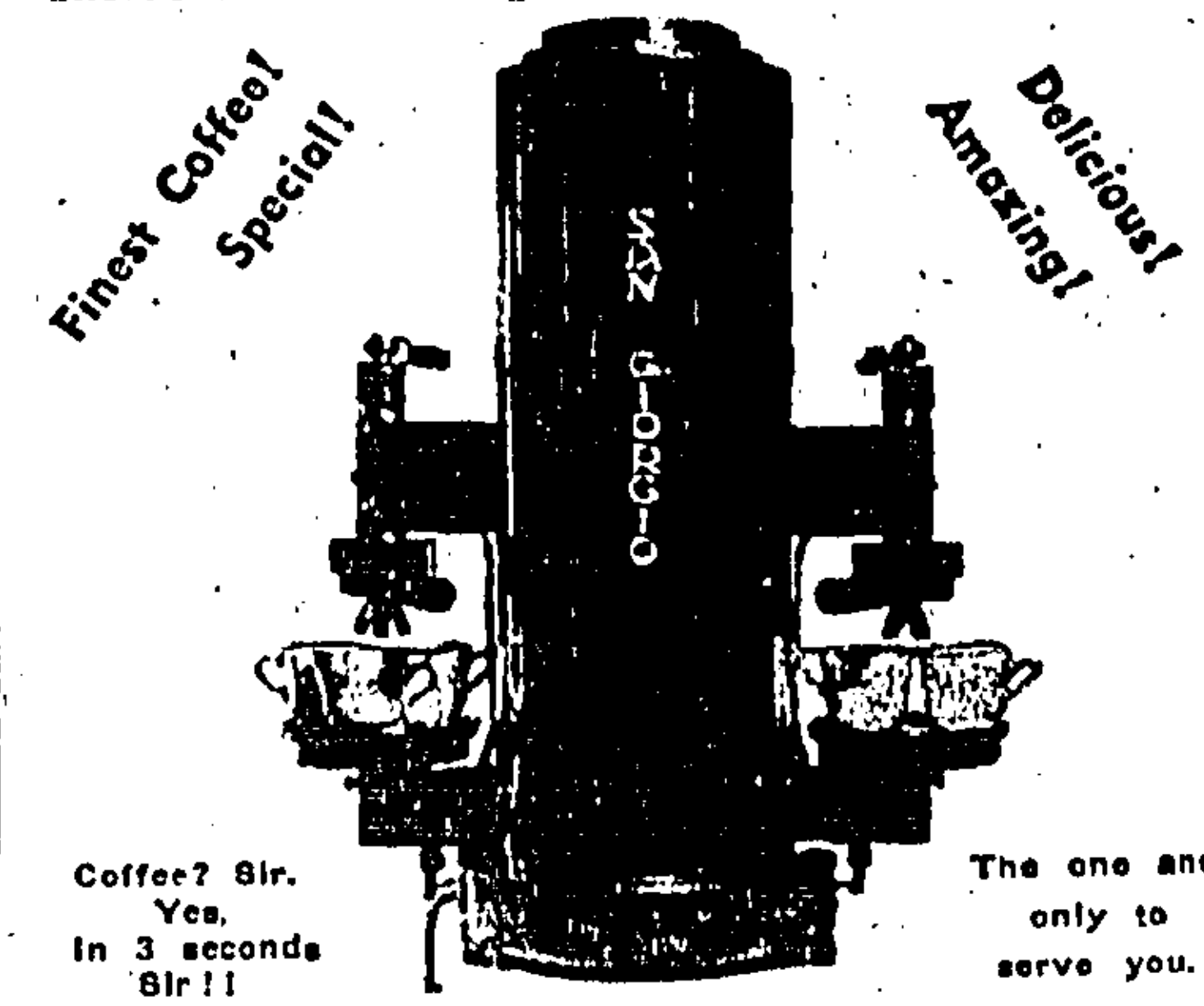
19. How do you send your stories home?—Usually by telephone. I can call London from Berlin quicker than I can get a toll call in London. There is no censorship.

20. Won't the Russians cut the telephone?—They could. But if they broke international agreements in doing so they might find their lines cut elsewhere in various awkward places.

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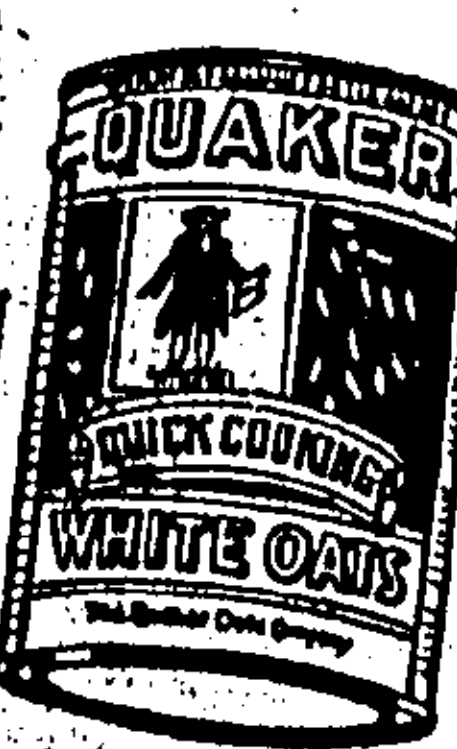
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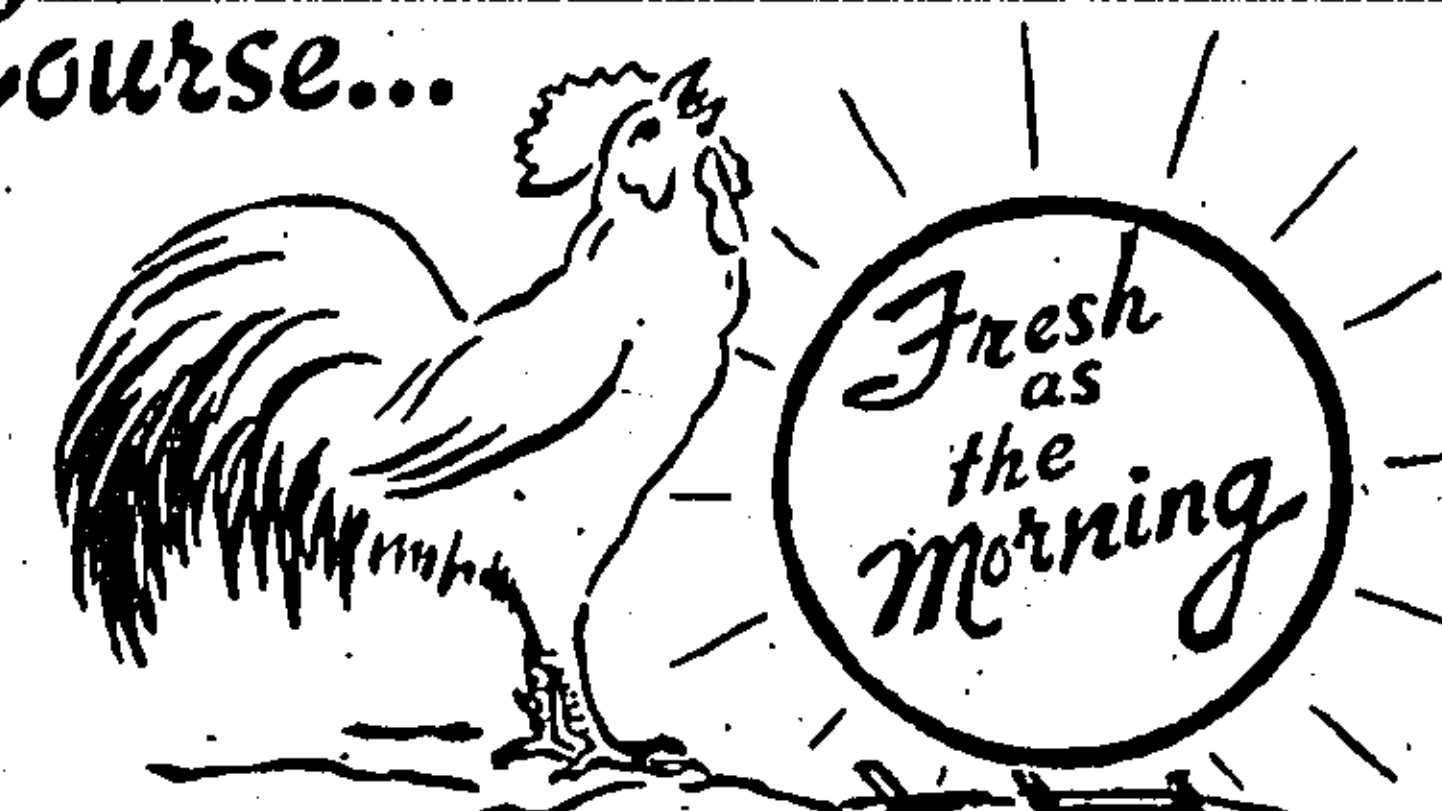
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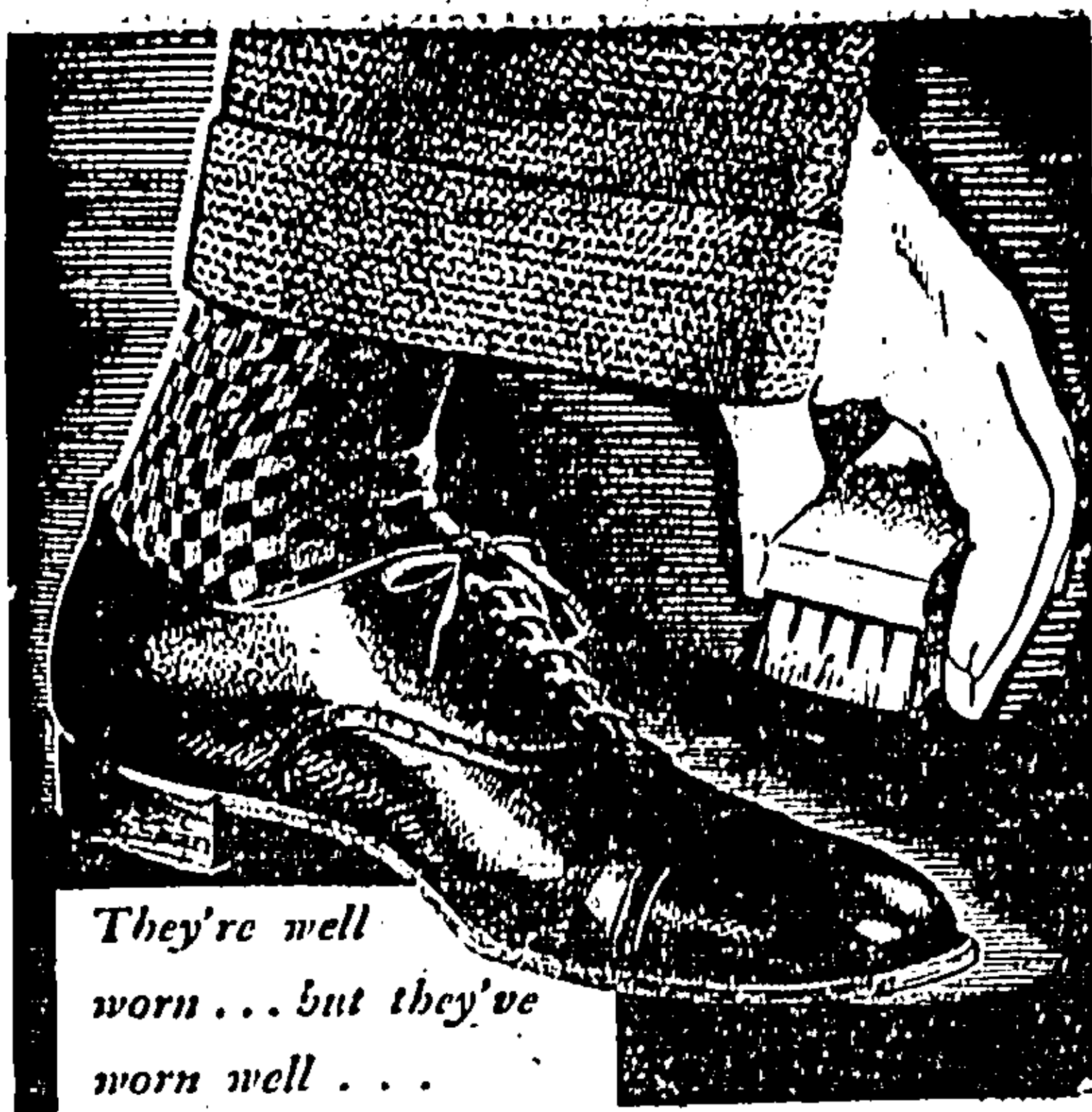
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LIFE IN TURKEY

Russia's Shadow Has Retarded Development

Turkey is a country where anything can happen—and no one is surprised. The "once upon a time" atmosphere of the magic carpet period still exists despite the defuncting of heavy motor traffic. It is a country that somehow manages to live at the same time in two completely different eras. The older generation of Turks still lingers in the faded glories of their Ottoman past, while young Turks are the mainstays of the atomic age.

It is a country of 18,000,000 people, and 15,000,000 of them are land workers. The standard of living for the majority of Turks still lingers in the faded glories of their Ottoman past, while young Turks are the mainstays of the atomic age. The older generation of Turks still lingers in the faded glories of their Ottoman past, while young Turks are the mainstays of the atomic age.

This history of two decades has produced a Turkey of striking contrasts. These, of course, begin with the family. You see a family provided over by a patriarchal grandfather, sometimes subordinated at home by his ex-husband wife, while the younger children study for some obscure degree at one of the ultra-modern universities of which Turkey boasts. Similar contrasts persist through every expression of life in contemporary Turkey.

Set The Pace

The changing of Turkey's capital city set the pace. Istanbul, old imperial Constantinople, a city of 500 mosques, and once the proud capital of a vast Empire, was rejected in favour of Ankara, then a small village crisscrossed by a rocky hill in the heart of Anatolia. The new capital has now grown into a modern town looking much more like a living model of an architectural exhibition.

Against the background of a people still deeply religious, you have a Government that turns its back on Islam as a retrogressive force. Sunday is given over as the day of rest, while Friday, when everyone is busy working, remains as the Moslem day of prayer. The townsman dons the new look and wears the latest Paris hat, while the Anatolian peasant still tries to hide his face, although the wearing of the veil is forbidden. The older men still use the Arabic script, but official use is banned, and no letter so addressed would be delivered.

A train journey from one end of Turkey to the other—from Bulgaria to Russia, roughly a distance of from Land's End to John O'Groats, takes four days and five nights. You pass from the sky-scrapers of Istanbul to the mud hut villages of Kurdistan.

By **EDWARD HOWE**

Anatolia. Fast flying diesel railways express now connect 20th century businessmen from Ankara to Istanbul in eight hours, but slow, plodding camel caravans still ply between villages that in winter are isolated in a sea of mud.

Equal Footing

Delegations of Turkish women attend world congresses on an equal footing with counterparts from the West. However, when the Anatolia peasant woman would never dare enter her local coffee house. A policeman was recently sent to jail for one year for killing his mistress. But he was sentenced to another 14 months imprisonment because he used his official revolver for the deed.

That was the greater crime. In this topsy turvy Turkey many young ex-university graduates find driving taxis much more lucrative than following their trained profession. Polygamy is officially banned but still practised in outlying districts. Turkish workers have no trade unions and striking is illegal; they have no health insurance scheme and no unemployment relief. Agricultural machinery is now pouring into Turkey to create yet another contrast to the primitive hand plough used through the centuries.

Turkey is trying hard to adhere to a blue print of democratic government laid down by the Republic in 1923. On paper it is socialism far in advance of many countries of the world. But tradition as it exists in Turkey cannot be pulled up by the roots, or signed away by law. Two decades in the life of a nation is a short time. The father of evolution in Turkey has been imposition, a rigid, stern parent wishing to bring up his offspring as a model of democratic righteousness. Today we see Turkey struggling against parental authority in healthy adolescent style.

Natural Pride

The nationalistic Turk will point with natural pride to the many remarkable achievements in new fangled Turkey. This disarming touch of modernity is the country's shop window. It is like a dazzling neon sign advertising her rejection of the Orient and her conversion to western civilisation. Behind this sparkling facade lie some empty streets. These reveal an agrarian country doing its best to produce

a race of town consumers, a minority urban population clogged in the veneer of a western education, and industrial progress turning its back on the poor plodding peasant.

Always with the west in mind, reformers in Turkey have been planning on a big scale, too ambitious for the capabilities of the country. More but smaller hospitals, schools and universities, with greater concentration on the people filling them, would have produced better long term results. A nation, like a child, must learn to walk before it can run. Today when villages are crying out for more schools, Ankara is planning to build the largest technical university in the world.

For generations the peasant has believed that he is a debt to his Government. He has paid his taxes and given his sons to the army without question. Now he is waking up to the fact that the Government owes him a living. Contrarywise, post-war restrictions on world trade and travel clearly illustrate to the Turk that his economic dependence rests more and more on his disdained peasant relations. He is being forced to the realisation that Anatolia is really Turkey, also something to be proud of and work for; he is arriving at the stage where he feels, not "Go West, young man," but "Go East!"

Master Of History

Geography is the master of history. Dominating nineteenth century politics was the eternal struggle of the two Goliaths, the Ottoman Empire and Czarist Russia. Although Russia has changed her spots since then, she is now much greater in size and more powerful in influence than ever she was under the Czars who hoped to rechristen Constantinople "Czargrad."

The threat of Russian Communist domination has retarded Turkey's economic development. This was recognised by Ernest Bevin in his recent outspoken speech in Paris when he mentioned the cold war directed against Turkey. The multiple plans—Two, Five, Ten and Twenty Year plans—which were designed to transform Turkey into the heart country of the Eastern Mediterranean have been ruthlessly cut and the money spent instead on defence. Conscription took three years, often many more, out of the life of the young Turk, throwing a heavy burden on the Turkish peasant women left alone to till the soil. Now that America is backing Turkey with military aid the situation is eased and many young Turks now get away with only 14 months in the forces.

Life is unrelaxed in Turkey. But the high cost of living enforces an involuntary austerity regime on the majority of Turks. (Continued at foot of Col. 6.)

CARTOON

By **STAN HILL**



REMEMBRANCE DAY 1948

While we keep this day in remembrance of those who fell in both World Wars, we think we might at the same time utilize it in memory of our relatives and friends, who have, during the many years, passed away in this Colony. Where they were laid in our Colonial Cemetery at Happy Valley remains one of the most beautiful places in the Colony.

It was slightly damaged during the Japanese invasion. The tombstones appeared in the moonlight as troops and were fired on for a short while—otherwise Happy Valley with its lovely trees and flowers remains most attractive.

The Record

The Chinese caretaker in charge of the gardens has a record book of all the burials for the past 60 years or more so that anyone wishing to locate any of the old graves should refer to this record, and he can arrange for the stone to be replaced if he so desires. On entering this, our Protestant Cemetery, if we go to the left and up a slight incline we come

to the graves of many esteemed old residents of the Colony. We find that of Captain S.W. Goggin died 1900 the popular Commandant of the Hong Kong Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, for many years in command of the paddle steamer "Honor." Next we find that of Mr. & Mrs. George Manning Bala, the former of whom was for many years Editor of the "China Mail," the Colony's oldest paper. A little further down the slope we locate the resting place of a number of the old residents such as Mr. & Mrs. J.H. Cox dated 1880. Mr. Cox was the head of Messrs. Turner & Co., an old English firm and had a large estate at Kowloon with a mansion house and was a strong believer in the future of that part of the Mainland—hence Cox's Path over his garden next to the Bowling Green, received its name. Close by his grave are those of Sisters Gertrude and Frances of the Government Civil Hospital, who both died of plague contracted while on duty during the epidemic which visited the Colony May 1920.

Close by we find the grave of Captain L.A.W. Barnes-Lawrence R.N., a very popular Government servant and Lincolnton Master. Next we find that of Mr. M.J.D. Stephens, for 50 years a solicitor, also a large property owner in this Colony—his tombstone was badly damaged by a bomb. Also damaged was that of Mr. H.H. Rennie, a few feet away. This well known gentleman was founder of the Hong Kong Milling Company and committed suicide in the Harbour in 1922 when his flour milling and store

failed, with heavy losses, suffered by some of the Colony's leading citizens.

From here we can walk across the long garden past the Fountain in the centre of the grounds. Then we come across a perfectly kept grave—that of Sir Paul and Lady Chater, and a plain but pretty lot of flowers clustering all around.

Particularly the last mentioned and many others who lie there were keen members of the Hong Kong Jockey Club and were regular attendants at all the meetings.

Much Loved

It is pathetic when we quietly walk around and know that our friends that have gone ahead, remain night and day in view of their much loved ones. On the way back to the entrance gate, we pass the graves of a few more of the keen racing people, such as H.P. White, H.K. Seth, Balmer Johnson and many others.

Nearer the main gate there are a number of the many officers and men of the Royal Navy and British Troops, also the U.S. Navy, who gave their lives in the early battles, in engagement with the Chinese. In view of all this, it would be very interesting if a brief history of the early days of the Colony could be written after a visit to the land mark called Happy Valley.

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TRIUMPHANT RETURN OF HARRY TRUMAN

McCormick Tries To Explain

Chicago, November 6. The Republicans would have won the recent US Presidential election if they had nominated General Douglas MacArthur, says Colonel Robert McCormick, publisher of the Chicago Tribune.

In an analysis of the Republican defeat, McCormick said that Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York "was far from the choice of the Republican voters." He said MacArthur "was much the most popular man" and "would certainly have been elected."

McCormick said the Republican nomination of Wendell Willkie in 1940 and Mr. Dewey's nomination in 1944 and 1948 were dictated by Wall Street. He explained:

"A Republican convention is largely composed of small businessmen and small bankers, and they look up to the big businessmen and big bankers, and when the button is pushed and the word is sent out from New York's Wall Street telling who to be for, that word has been many times omnipotent." Associated Press.

MINERS STILL OUT IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney, November 5. Hopes of an early settlement of the New South Wales coal strike faded today.

POW Officials Executed

Tokyo, November 6. Two Japanese war criminals were hanged at dawn this morning.

They were ex-Lieutenant Masao Nishizawa and ex-Sergeant Tetsuo Shimizu. They were convicted of violating the laws and customs of war.

Nishizawa was convicted of offences against American and Allied prisoners of war, committed while he was commander of a prison camp in the Tokyo district. Shimizu was convicted of mistreating an Australian prisoner of war and mistreating Red Cross food and supplies intended for Allied prisoners at a camp in Nijiga. —United Press.

COMMUNIST PLAN IN JAPAN

Tokyo, November 6. The magazine, Japan Weekly, in an article on Communist activities in Japan, alleged that the party was putting into effect a plan to win the support of 20,000 of Japan's 125,000 police. The plan was formulated, the magazine said, after the police system was divided into municipal and national rural forces. —Reuter.

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Washington, November 5. Seven hundred and fifty thousand Americans, today, packed the streets of Washington to give roaring acclaim to a returning President who would not be beaten. It was one of the largest crowds ever to greet a conquering hero on the flag-draped "celebrity route" from Union Station to the White House.

The first to greet Mr. Truman at the station was the new Vice-President, Mr. Alben Barkley, flanked by most of the Cabinet and the Supreme Court.

When the President's train arrived from Independence, Missouri, a cheer went up from the crowd surging around the station. The city echoed with music of a dozen bands playing "In Just Wild About Harry," "Back in the Saddle Again" and "Hail to the Chief."

The procession of 30 cars passed under scores of banners, many carrying the welcome message "Good Old Harry" and the more restrained "Hail President Truman."

Mr. Truman arrived at the White House with Mrs. Truman and their daughter, Margaret, after a triumphant drive through Washington from Union Station along a route thronged with cheering people. Torn paper and confetti showered from office windows.

Much Affected
A band had played the Missouri Waltz as his train drew in. Truman alternately shook hands and waved to the crowd

which kept up a continuous roar. Clapping his hands above his head, he shouted "I am shaking hands with all of you." President Truman was obviously affected by the tremendous reception the capital's biggest since General Dwight Eisenhower's triumphant return from Europe. Tears could be seen in his eyes though his face was wreathed with smiles.

From the North portico of the White House, Mr. Truman responded simply: "I thank you from the bottom of my heart. I shall look forward to the help and co-operation of all the people because we are faced with great issues now."

Jeers For Prophets
The tumultuous welcome was also for Senator Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky, the Vice-President elect.

People 10 and 20 deep packed the pavements along the President's triumphal drive from the railway station to the White House. They hung from Government buildings and perched on trees.

They waved American flags, banners and balloons, and tossed torn paper by the fistful. Some were large "I told you so" buttons.

Signs along the way jeered at past leaders and political experts who predicted Republican Thomas E. Dewey would defeat President Truman. Spread across the front of the Washington Post building was a picture of a crow on its back on a platter with a sign "Welcome home from the Crow Eaters."

Lesson Of Election
Here in Washington, which takes its visiting Kings and potentates pretty much in stride, President Truman had never seen anything like today's reception. Mr. Truman called it "overwhelming."

"It makes a man study and wonder," he said, "whether he is worthy of the responsibility which has been thrust upon him."

Senator Barkley added, "There is one thing that this election has demonstrated, and that is that the American people do their own thinking and their own voting on the day of the election."

He promised to work with the President to advance the welfare of the American people and "the cause of peace, not only at home but throughout the world." —Associated Press and Reuter.

SURVIVORS FOUND BUT NO AIRCRAFT

Valetta, November 6. The British destroyer, Cheviot, and other naval craft, searching today for a Royal Air Force Mosquito seen to crash into the North West of Malta, yesterday, found the survivors of a fishing vessel which sank in a rough sea last night.

Four survivors of the crew of four and 13 passengers have been found. The Mosquito, flying from Malta to Marseilles, was seen flying high but apparently out of control before crashing.

Both members of the crew might have baled out, it was believed. —Reuter.

The Queen III With The 'Flu

London, November 5. Queen Elizabeth, who is suffering from an influenza cold, continues to make good progress but will be confined to her room for the next few days, it was announced from Buckingham Palace today.

The Queen had three week-end engagements which she will now be unable to fulfil. These were the British Legion Festival of Remembrance at the Albert Hall tomorrow, the Remembrance Day service at the Cenotaph in Whitehall on Sunday morning and the unveiling of a memorial window in Westminster Abbey on Sunday afternoon. —Reuter.

Bramuglia To Make A New Attempt

London, November 5. The Argentine Foreign Minister, Juan Atilio Bramuglia, said today he probably will make a new attempt soon "from a different angle" to consolidate the East-West dispute over Berlin.

Bramuglia, November President of the United Nations Security Council, spoke with newsmen on his arrival from Paris for a five-day official visit.

He would not explain exactly what he meant by "new angle." He did say, however, that it would be a "new approach," distinctly different from his "neutral" draft proposal which Russia vetoed in the Security Council last month. —Associated Press.

Reds On The Move In Indonesia

Batavia, November 5. The Republican Army is preparing to evacuate equipment to Madiun from Sarangan airfield, only four miles from Djeblok, a village reportedly retaken by Indonesian Communist insurgents in East Java.

Dutch Army Headquarters here announced this tonight.

The Communists are operating from jungle hide-outs between the South coast port of Patjitan and the 10,000-foot peak of Lawu Volcano, the Dutch said.

Dutch Army Headquarters had earlier announced that the village of Djeblok was recaptured by 3,000 Communists who were advancing North towards Madiun, the centre of their recent unsuccessful revolt.

There was a serious food shortage in the areas of Madiun, Blora and Tjepu—districts that the Republicans had recently re-occupied from Communist administrations.

In North West Sumatra, the Republican Resident General had requested the Republican President, Dr. I.R. Soekarno, to relieve Major Bedo, the local Re-

"ARCHAIC CUSTOM" TO GO AT ROYAL BIRTH

London, November 6. The King decided yesterday that the presence of a of a Cabinet Minister at Royal Births is an "archaic custom" and will be dispensed with when Princess Elizabeth has her baby. "The attendance of a Minister of the Crown at a birth in the Royal family is not a statutory requirement or a constitutional necessity," a Buckingham Palace announcement said.

"It is merely the survival of an archaic custom and the King feels that it is unnecessary to continue further a practice for which there is no legal requirement."

Honour the Home Secretary, Mr. Chuter Ede, will not be summoned to the Palace personally, the announcement said. He will be advised as soon as the birth occurs, however, and will be responsible for spending the glad tidings throughout the Kingdom. Popular myth has it that the custom of having the Home Secretary present at a Royal birth began as a guarantee against slipping a substitute baby into the confinement room.

Broken Baford
Less romantic chroniclers say it is simply a survival from the days when the King's counsellors attended him much more closely than they do now.

Since the days of Queen Victoria the Home Secretary has waited in an adjoining room in stead of the confinement room itself.

The custom was broken once before, during the war when Prince Michael of Kent was born. Prince Michael is in the direct line of succession, but Herbert Morrison, then Home Secretary, was too busy with affairs of state to attend the birth. —Associated Press.

Tojo To Get Heavy Sentence?

Tokyo, November 6. With judgment in the International Military Tribunal only about a quarter completed, Japanese public opinion believes that the sentences imposed on Tojo and his 24 co-accused will be much heavier than originally anticipated. With the notable exception of Shigenatsu, formerly Ambassador to Moscow, who is understood to be standing trial at the joint instance of Britain and the Soviet Union, most former Japanese leaders now on trial have been pronounced guilty of having planned an aggressive war by the Tribunal.

The leading Tokyo newspaper, Asahi, reported that most of the accused even were startled to hear their own names mentioned as the Tribunal relentlessly traced the course of Japan's war plans from 1928, naming the guilty men in the process.

The Tribunal, which went into recess late yesterday, will re-convene on Monday when the President, Sir William Webb, of Australia, will continue reading the judgment. Sentences will be pronounced. It is understood, about the end of next week. —Reuter.

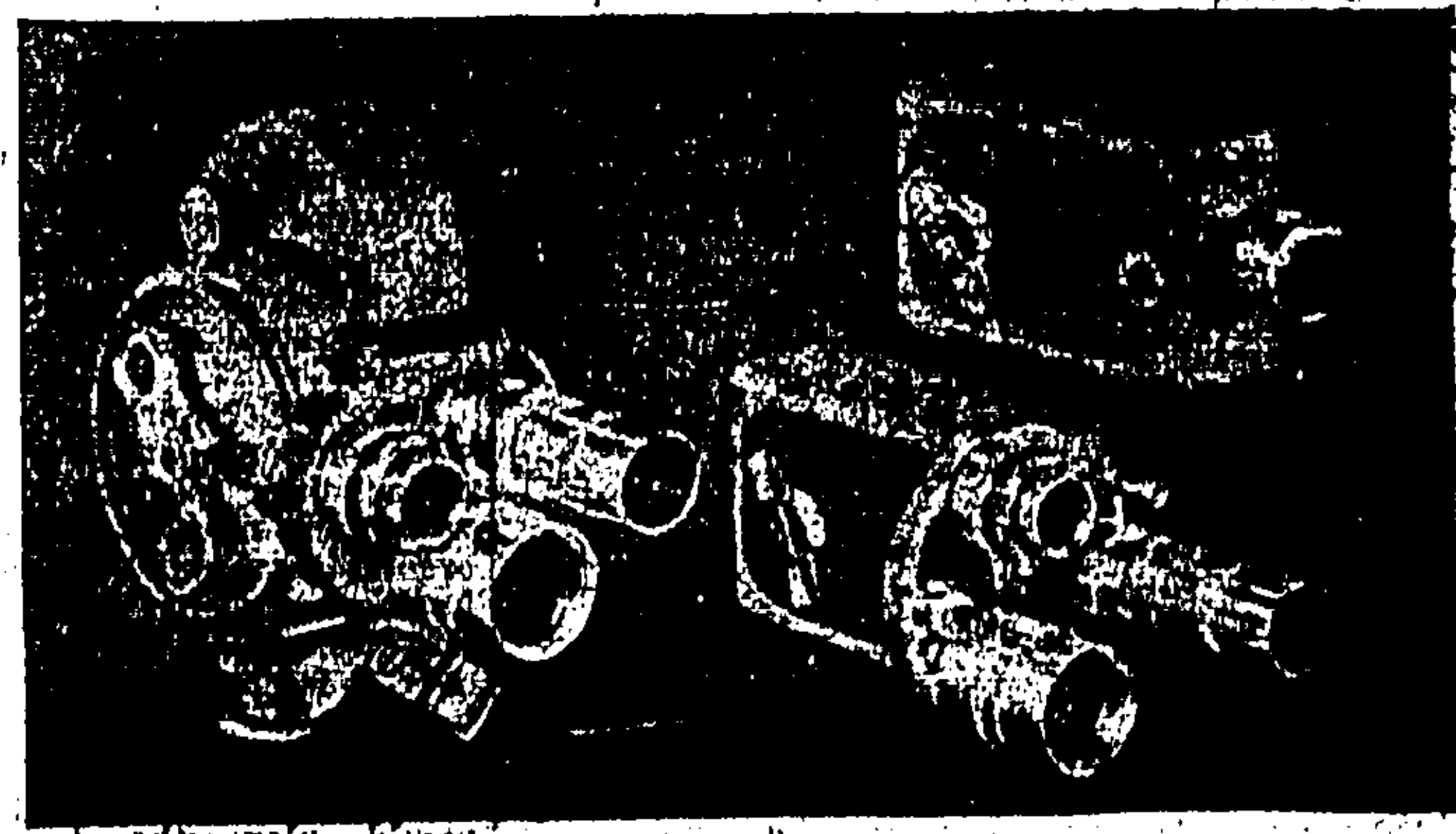
BELGIUM WANTS "WARSPITE"

London, November 6. It was stated in Penzance, Cornwall, yesterday that the salvage company which is dismantling the 30,000-ton battleship Warspite has turned down an offer by the Belgian Government who are reported to have been willing to pay between £10 and £12 a ton for scrap metal removed from the vessel.

The Warspite broke away from tugs which were towing her to a barge yard and went aground at Prussia Cove near Penzance in April, 1947. —Associated Press.

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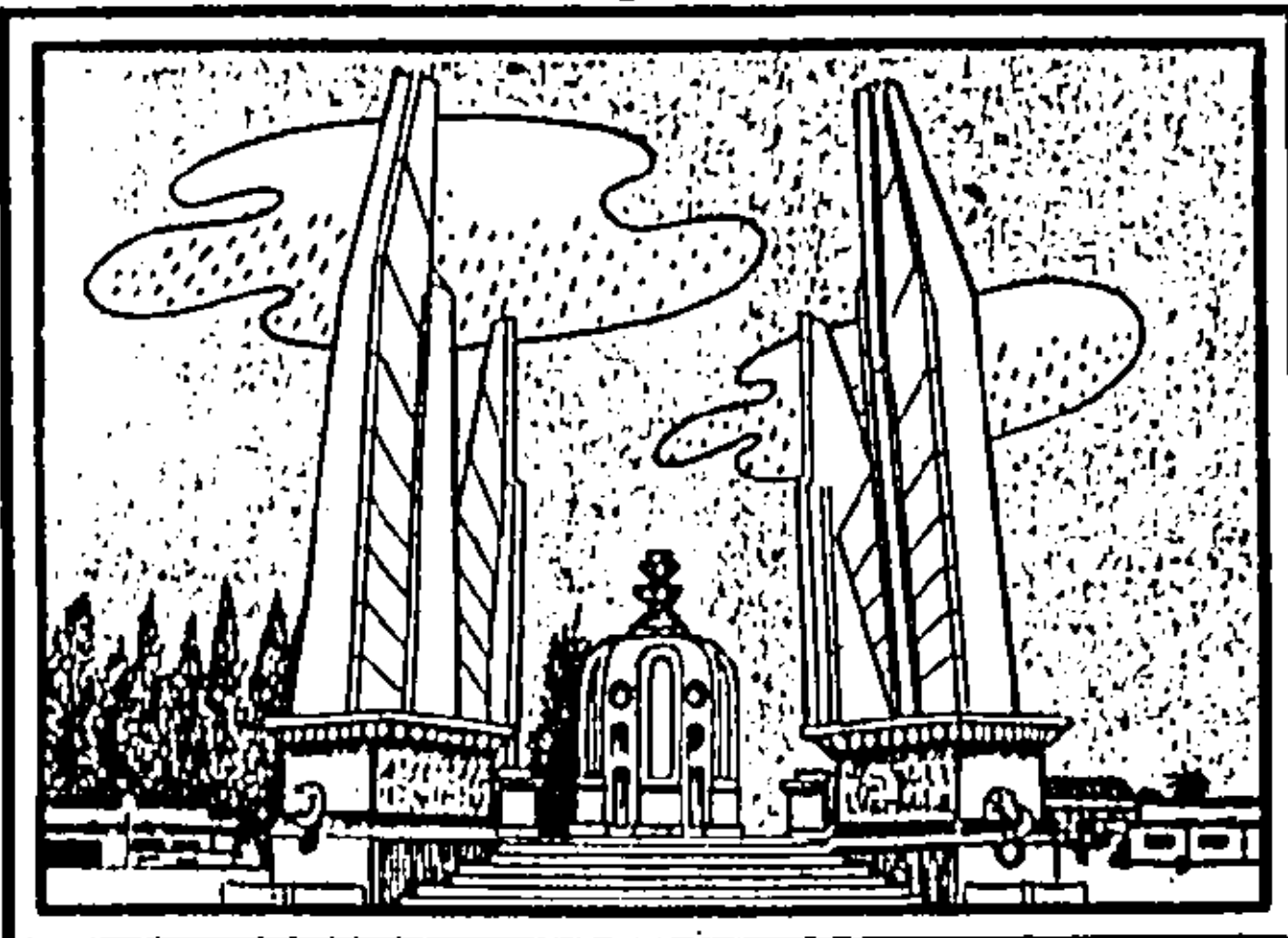
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ENGAGEMENT

WONG-PRIMROSE—The engagement is announced of Elizabeth Kathleen Maud, only daughter of the late Mr. Siu-Poon Preston Wong and of Mrs. Wong, and of Robert William Primrose, eldest son of Mr. & Mrs. N. A. Primrose of Admiralty House, Chatham.

IN MEMORIAM

BECKER.—In loving memory of our Mother and Granny Gertrude who died on November 7, 1948, aged 60 years. We shall not forget.

THIS TIME BUSINESS

To the layman—and that means almost all of us—this business of winter and summer time is a little understood nuisance, with the proviso that once a year we have an extra hour in bed. Now we have had a week of the winter variety in Hong Kong, and critics of the whole switch scheme are as voluble as ever.

Whether or not the altering of the hour has any value at all would certainly seem to be a debatable issue. What happens in effect is that when summer time is instituted, an hour of light is taken off the morning and added to the evening. In a country short of fuel and power, as Britain is at the moment, a case can be made out for this, as fewer lights and less heating are thus required. But why should this be confined to the summer, and not continued all the year round?

Another school of thought considers the present arrangement topsy-turvy. Obviously, they postulate, the extra hour of daylight should come in the winter, especially in Hong Kong. If an hour were added to the evenings between November and March, office workers and business people generally could still leave work at 5 p.m. and have a game of bowls, or watch soccer or cricket. Instead of which, personal games have to be confined to week-ends, and enthusiasts would-be spectators have to leave the office in the middle of the afternoon. No doubt the authorities know what they are doing, but sometimes the public wonders.

Nationalisation

The British Government's Iron and Steel Bill, the text of which has now been published, proposes to bring under public ownership all companies extensively engaged in the production of iron ore, pig iron or steel or in shaping steel by the rolling process.

Britain's world-famous steel companies are to remain under their present names with their present staffs and organisation, and their existing connections and subsidiaries. Their shares, however, it is proposed, should be transferred from present shareholders to a public Iron and Steel Corporation which would plan the industry under Government control.

Compensation will be made to shareholders on a basis determined by the Government and an arbitration tribunal set up to adjudicate claims.

The date for transfer is fixed in the Bill as not before May 1, 1950 (that is the latest time the next general election must be held).

The Bill also provides for co-ordination of the Iron and Steel Corporation with the National Coal Board and area gas boards relating to carbonisation.

Mr. Churchill has made it clear in the House of Commons that the Conservatives regard steel nationalisation as motivated by political doctrines rather than economic requirements and will, if returned in 1950, reverse it.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, Lord equally briefly, replied that

THE BLOCKADE AND THE COUNCIL

By SCRUTATOR

Called on to preside over the Security Council during its performance of an exceptionally difficult duty, the delegate of Argentina, Dr. Bramuglia, has despatched well of the United Nations. From the start he clearly saw his role as that of a mediator. The very constitution of the Security Council precludes its exercising Great Powers, since any one of them may veto its decisions.

In the present case what Dr. Bramuglia had to go on was the presumed reluctance of both sides to reach that particular impasse. The Western Powers would no doubt value the moral effect of a Council decision in their favour; but against a Government like the Russian, which has no use for morality, such a decision would in itself it might be argued, help them little towards recovering their rights. On the other side the Russians can hardly be unaware of the widespread odium which their previous uses of the veto have already incurred. Relying so much as they do on propaganda, and realising as their part in the disarmament debates has shown, the use that can be made of United Nations for propaganda purposes, they would almost certainly have preferred to avoid the additional odium of this additional veto, if they could also have avoided the appearance of giving way.

To And Fro

Making what use he could of these trends and going assiduously to and fro between the parties, Dr. Bramuglia evolved the compromise resolution which was placed before the Security Council. The compromise included an important sop to Russia, which was implied but not expressed—namely, that the Council refrained from adjudging her guilty in the matter of the blockade and thereby facilitated her avoiding the use of her veto.

There was corresponding sop to the Western Allies, who had said that the blockade must be lifted unconditionally, and that only after this had been done would

they negotiate. Under the Security Council's solution the blockade would be lifted simultaneously with the calling of four-Power discussions under direction to agree on the Soviet's East-German currency circulating throughout Berlin. The four Powers would also consent to an early meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers.

The scheme was remitted by the Council to the four Great Powers primarily concerned. This procedure represented a further concession to Russia, who had refused to discuss the subject inside the Council. In the event, the Western Powers agreed to accept the compromise; but Vyshinsky rejected it. Vyshinsky expressed his desire to take away from the Western Powers the concession in regard to dates. The establishment of the Berlin currency would admittedly require negotiations. These, he said, must be carried out first; and only when they had produced a completed scheme for introducing the Eastern mark would the blockade be lifted. In other words, he asked the Western Powers not only to forgo having the blockade removed, but to do the very thing which they have insisted that they will not do, namely, to negotiate under duress.

Jockeying

While we must all respect the efforts of Dr. Bramuglia, the Western Powers were unwise to let themselves be jockeyed. A compromise implies concessions by both sides; if, instead, they are all made by one it becomes not a compromise, but a surrender. That is what Russia has throughout been working for. She wants through the blockade to prove, in a manner which no German can ignore, that she has the mastery over us Germany.

Let it not be imagined that we made no concession when we refrained from insisting that the Security Council should pronounce condemnation of the blockade. Suppose Russia lifts the blockade

now and pockets her price for doing so, and at the next convenient moment re-imposes it. She could then claim that she is doing something which the highest international authority has pointedly refrained from condemning.

Once implicitly legitimise the blockade and you leave Russia in unchallengeable enjoyment of two peculiar advantages. On the one hand, it costs her virtually nothing to impose it, whereas to break it (as by the air lift) costs the Western Allies a great deal. On the other, she can lift and re-impose it again at her convenience, and the West has no way of stopping her short of war. What all this leads to is that, while of course we want the blockade ended, it is not now worth our while to pay a high price for its ending. As pointed out in this column a fortnight ago, Russia has many alternative ways of making us uncomfortable in Berlin—especially through disorganising the municipal services. The only solution worth much to us would be one whereby she clearly renounced trouble-making and re-started the working of a common machinery designed to eliminate friction within the city between the four occupying Powers. Such machinery would be perfectly easy to work, if none of the Powers concerned resented the others' presence. It has broken down only because one Power, Russia, desired to evict the other three.

Serious Reports

At the moment there is no sign whatever of this desire slackening. On the contrary its manifestations increase. Very serious reports, for instance, come through the Iron Curtain regarding the rapid growth of the Russia-controlled German police force in the Eastern Zone. That way of running a crypto-army in the guise of police is familiar to us from post-Versailles days. Its wickedness is obvious, and it deserves very close attention on our side.

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THE INQUIRY

By
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themselves, and not accompanied by all the solemn ritual of a more orthodox court, results may be widespread and shattering—as in the case of the 1936 tribunals. Each of the earlier tribunals consisted of three members. In 1928 the chairman was a former judge of the High Court and Lord Justice of Appeal, his fellow members being a Conservative M.P. and a Socialist M.P. In 1936 the chairman was a former judge of the High Court and two well-known K.C.s.

Within the limits of the specific task for which it is called into being the tribunal will be invested with all the rights, powers, and privileges possessed by the High Court itself or a judge of that court.

Full Powers

Thus it can compel the attendance of such witnesses as it thinks should be called before it. These will all be examined on oath. It can call for the production of any wanted document or of a whole volume of documents if it thinks right—and probe right to the bottom of any failure to produce before it any paper or book or set of accounts which it has a mind to see.

It is fully empowered to deal with the cases of any potential witnesses who may not now be in this country. If it wants their evidence it can get it—by ordering, within the ordinary rules of court, the taking of such evidence on oath on commission—which means on a properly sworn and witnessed affidavit.

Potential witnesses who are unwilling for one reason or another to attend the inquiry, or who fail to turn up at the appointed time, can be subpoenaed in the ordinary way. And if that summons is still ignored the reluctant witness can be committed to prison for contempt of court.

Any witness who who persistently refuses to take an oath as required, or to produce any document which the tribunal is convinced he is in possession of, can be sent to prison—also for contempt of court.

Awkward Questions

Any witness who thinks he can dodge awkward questions by just refusing to answer them would likewise find himself in danger of commitment for contempt. On the other hand, the witnesses who are called before the tribunal are entitled to just the same immunities and privileges as they would have in any High Court case. They are, for instance, entitled to the protection

of the court from any counsel who was seeking to question them on irrelevant matters. A solicitor could raise the question of his professional privilege.

The basis of the tribunal is inquisitorial, like the criminal system on the Continent, where a judge of instruction decides what witnesses he will call and examines them himself, not accuse them, like the British criminal system, where magistrate or judge decides on evidence that is brought before him.

The chairman of the tribunal is responsible not only for probing all the evidence of any witnesses but for deciding what witnesses will be called before him. The tribunal has power to hold any or all of its sittings in camera if it considers that course best in the public interest. Otherwise the Act lays it down that the sittings shall be in public.

No Dramatics

Any person involved or mentioned in the inquiry may be represented by counsel or solicitor if the tribunal thinks fit, and there are, of course, properly safeguarded powers of cross-examination.

So far as the ordinary public are concerned there would not be much to see at one of these sittings, no dramatics, no fireworks; just a quiet, steady unearthing of relevant facts, carried out in tones almost conversational.

And even with the sittings in public there is not a great deal of accommodation. In the 1936 inquiry, held in No. 1 court of the High Court, there was not accommodation for more than a round hundred individuals all told, half of which number were people really connected with the matters at issue. That left room for only 50 members of the ordinary public.

When the inquiry is completed the tribunal makes its report to the Home Secretary, who then lays it before Parliament. It need not be a single report. If one member, say, disagrees with the findings of his fellow-members he can make a minority report, which is laid before Parliament with the other. The report or reports are next published as a White Paper, and are debated in the House.

Ruling Final

Such is the tribunal now called into being—a tribunal which ends its sittings without any running up, any delivered finding of Guilty or Not Guilty, the passing of any sentence. A court, in fact, whose only function is the uncovering of every single available fact relating to the matter given in to inquire into and the reporting of what it discovers.

But a court, of course, which by virtue of those very findings may produce results very far-reaching indeed. Also a court, as one who was before the 1936 tribunal remarked, whose findings cannot be changed in any Court of Appeal.

Behind The Political Scene

THE COLD WAR GOES UNDERGROUND

By ALASTAR FORBES

It is quite true, as there has been continual occasion to lament in this column, that there is total inefficiency and callousness in the dangers and violence of the war now being waged against the free world by the Soviet bloc. But it was not until very recently that His Majesty's Government and its representatives at UNO showed themselves to be aware of these things.

No doubt the news that the cold war is something more than an other politician's trick to make the electorate's flesh creep is beginning to get around. Ordinary folk with relations or friends in Malaya or in Berlin are helping towards this end.

But we may beg leave to doubt whether the forum of the United Nations is the best choice of battlefield for a successful showdown with the Soviet, still less a proper place to which the attention of the British public should be drawn if it is to grasp the bitterness of the present struggle.

Few Englishmen have ever believed in the efficacy of the United Nations to save the present or "succeeding generations from the scourge of war," which is its avowed object as stated in the charter. The inclusion in the latter of the veto killed that faith.

The United Nations has been used chiefly because its members have been unable to bring the American Government, backed by a sincere but disillusioned American people, to a close and lasting participation in European and world affairs.

Soviet Propaganda

We may well owe to Russian sabotage of United Nations action the Marshall Plan and the corresponding growth in America's peaceful strength. Such things are too easily taken for granted in Britain.

No world assembly can be expected to function without the necessary good will on the part of its principal members. In its first years at least the old League had that good will and it played an effective part. UNO has never had it.

No doubt if the Soviet bloc were to withdraw the remaining nations might make valuable use of its agencies and its procedure, duly amended. But there appears to be little likelihood of such a withdrawal.

On the contrary, it is the Soviet bloc which has been able to extract the maximum propaganda benefit from the organisation in its present form. Mr. Vyshinsky's lies have made him many allies. Their denial by Britain or America has brought us few new friends.

Mr. Vyshinsky keeps the initiative and even when for a moment he is placed on the defensive he soon manages to regain it. Furthermore, Mr. Vyshinsky's speeches get by far the widest publicity. They are the only ones to be printed (and now to be broadcast) in his own country. While in Britain they are considered far more newsworthy by sub-editors than the more serious contributions of Mr. McNell, of Mr. Mayhew, or Mr. Granley Adams.

It would be quite wrong, therefore, for the public to be given the idea that the cold war is being seriously fought in the Palais de Chaillot.

Mr. Vyshinsky's good spells are evident. He has kept his platform and saved his face. But the war continues. And on the loss about our cold warriors in Paris the better.

The people at home will cheer them loud enough when they hear that they have won something more than a little time in order to prepare a withdrawal from an ill-prepared position.

Mr. Vyshinsky has more serious reasons for satisfaction than his skilful playing of the diplomatic game. No scruples have prevented his Government from dropping their only available atom bomb on the political and economic fronts of Western Europe. For the first time since the last war the military effectiveness of a political weapon has been made apparent—and it is considerable.

Fighting For Moscow

Gone is the pretence that Communist Parties outside Russia are acting in the interest of the working classes. The Tito-Stalin correspondence has laid down beyond any doubt that Moscow demands complete obedience from every Communist Party member in carrying out the strategic designs of Moscow.

The Communist in the West must choose between ordinary treason to his Government and high treason to the Politburo. In France the Communist leaders have chosen the former, and they have managed to secure the support of a section of the British trade unionists.

It is absolutely untrue to suggest that the latest wave of French strikes is widely supported by the French working class. Not even the serious symptoms of incipient galloping inflation discernable in the French economy have been able to take from the pitiful French worker his desire to do a full day's work.

But the Communist leaders are no longer interested in restoring France's economy. Their orders are to destroy it, or at least to show their ability to destroy it, in order to compensate Moscow for the steady drop in Communism's strength at the polls.

The French worker finds it difficult to turn on his own fellow trade unionists in defence of his right to work. But he might be willing to do so more readily if he could be sure that Russia would be prevented from overrunning his country should there be a war.

Russia's agents are all around him. It is by terroristic tactics that they have managed to torment the present coal strikes. These have been financed by a classical Stalinist method. When Stalin wanted money, he would get it from the bank—with blow lamp and jemmy.

Today the monthly wage-bill is waylaid and snatched between bank and pithead or factory. And how can any strike be in the miners' interests which decreases the abandonment of safety measures in the pits?

Already more than 30 per cent. of the Loire Basin mines have been put out of action and their miners thrown out of work for many months. Never in industrial history has such a thing happened before.

Will the workers of the West, saved from unemployment by American aid, throw away everything as the pawns of Moscow?





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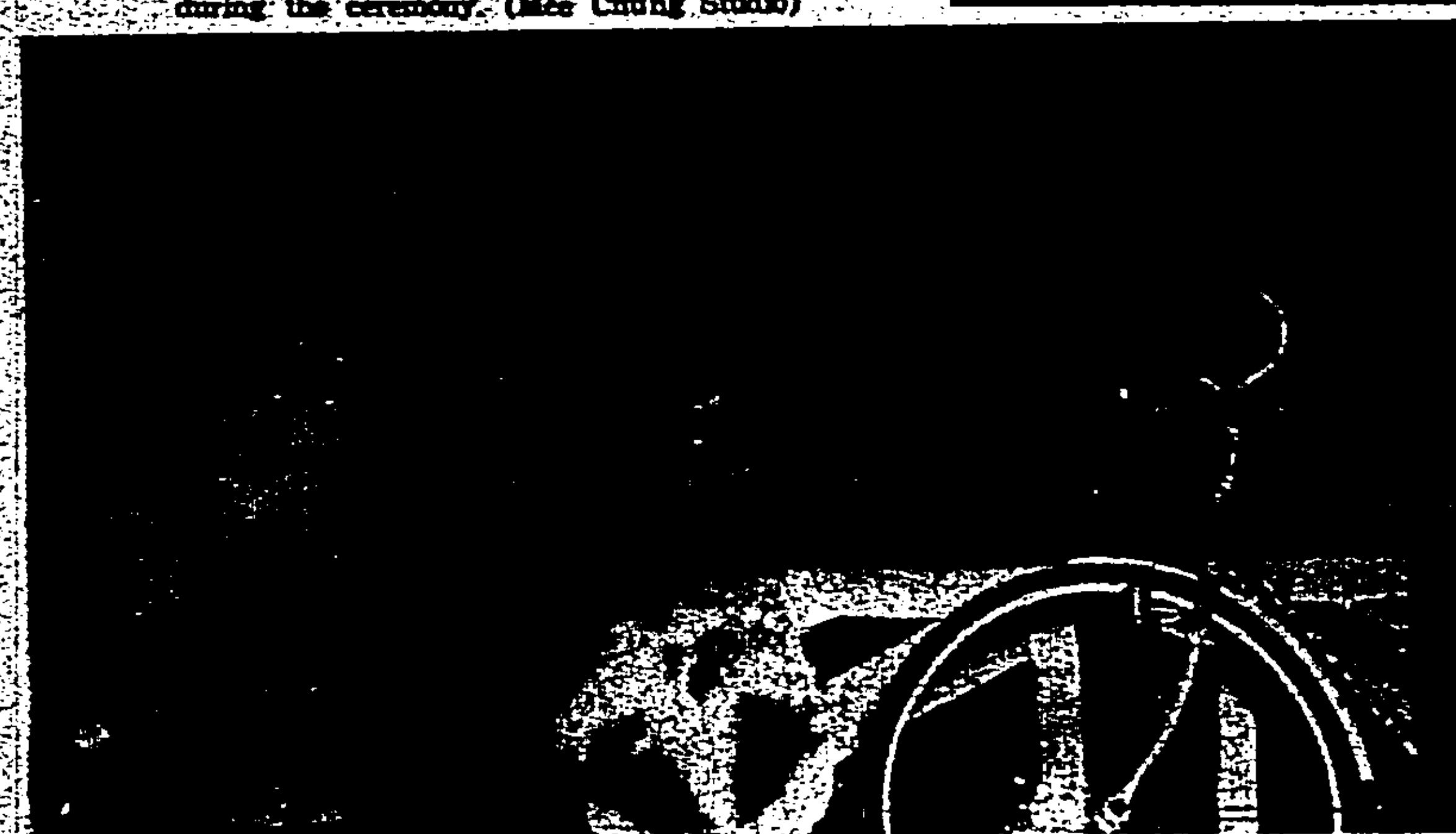


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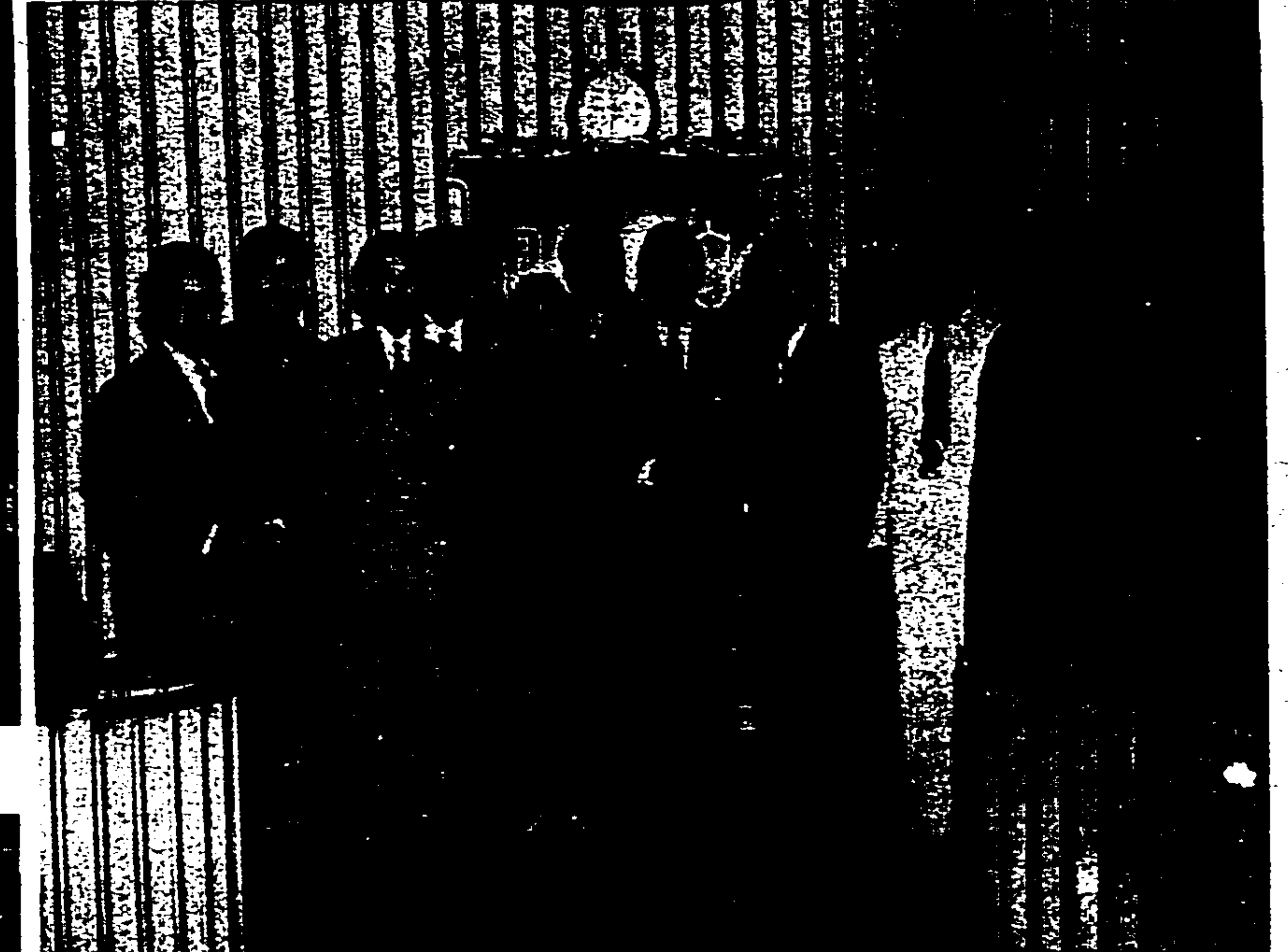


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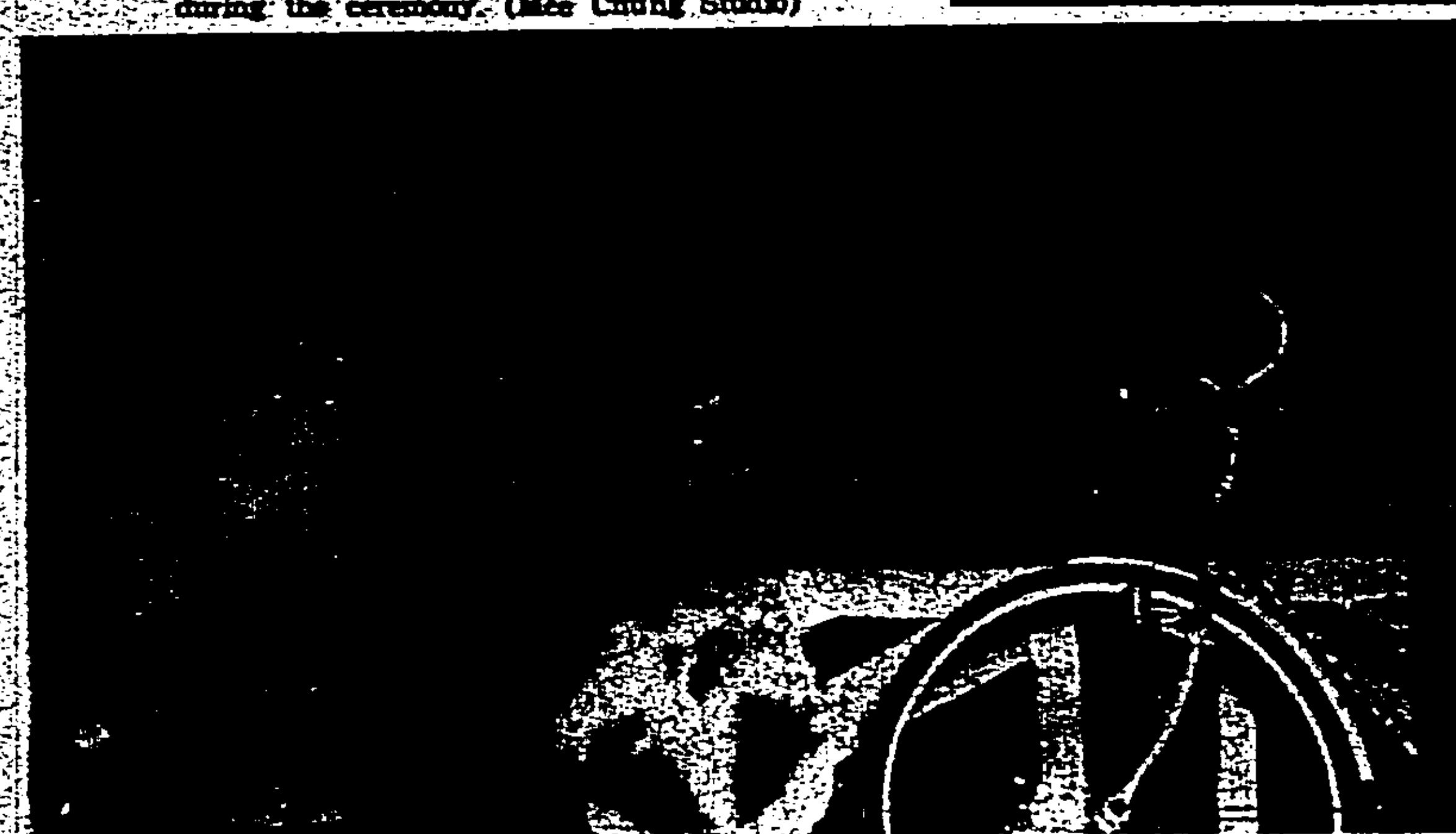


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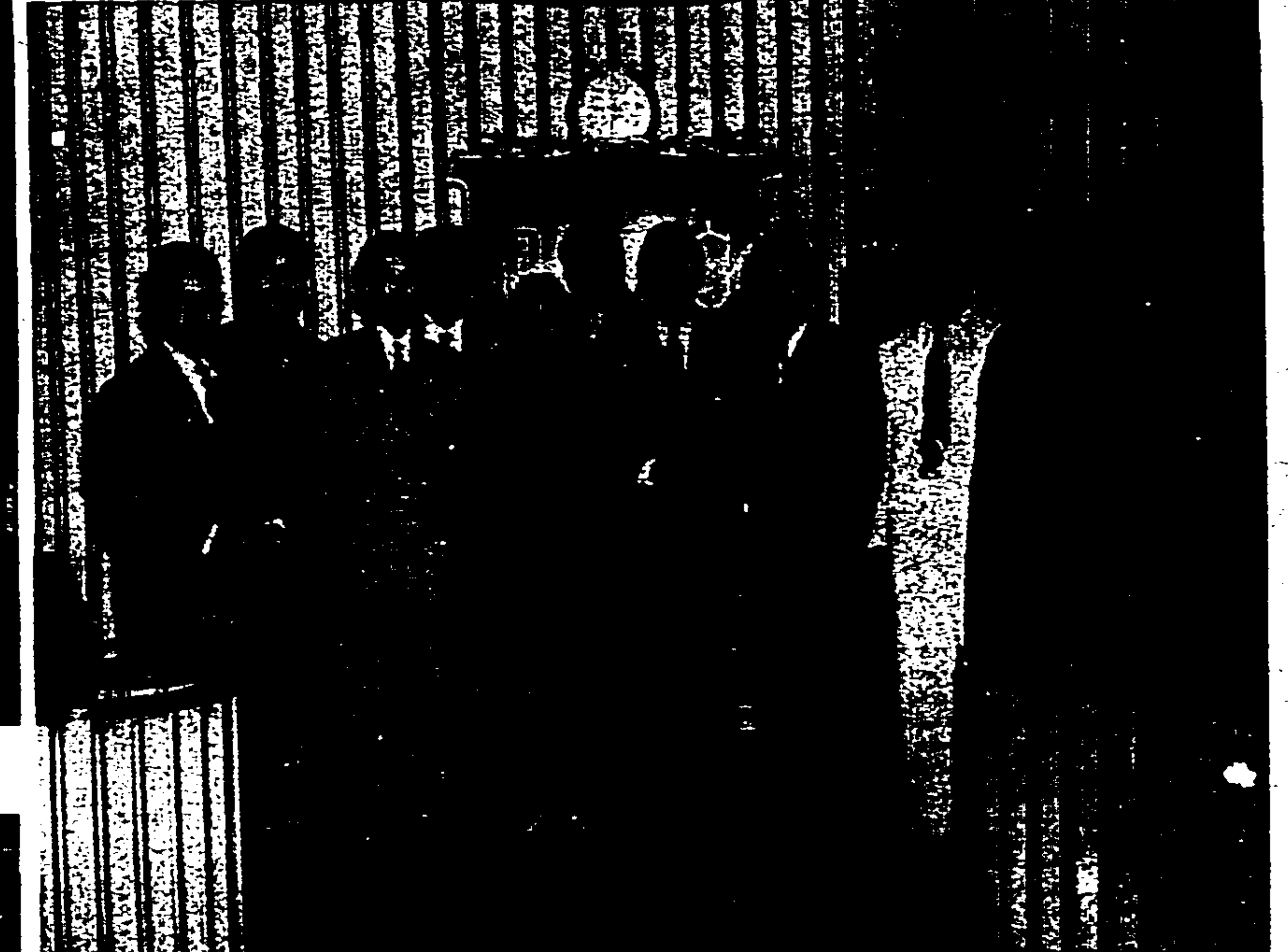


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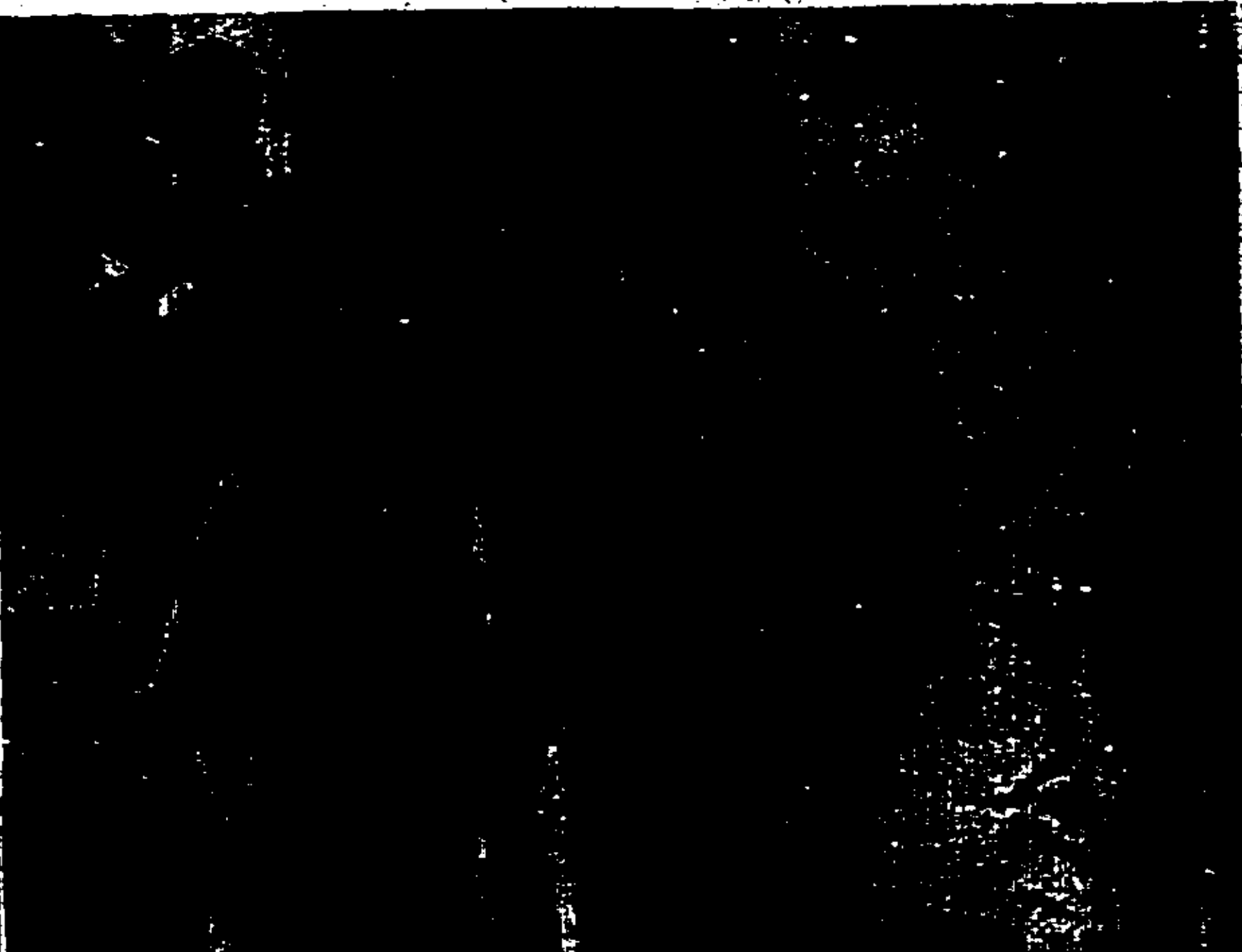
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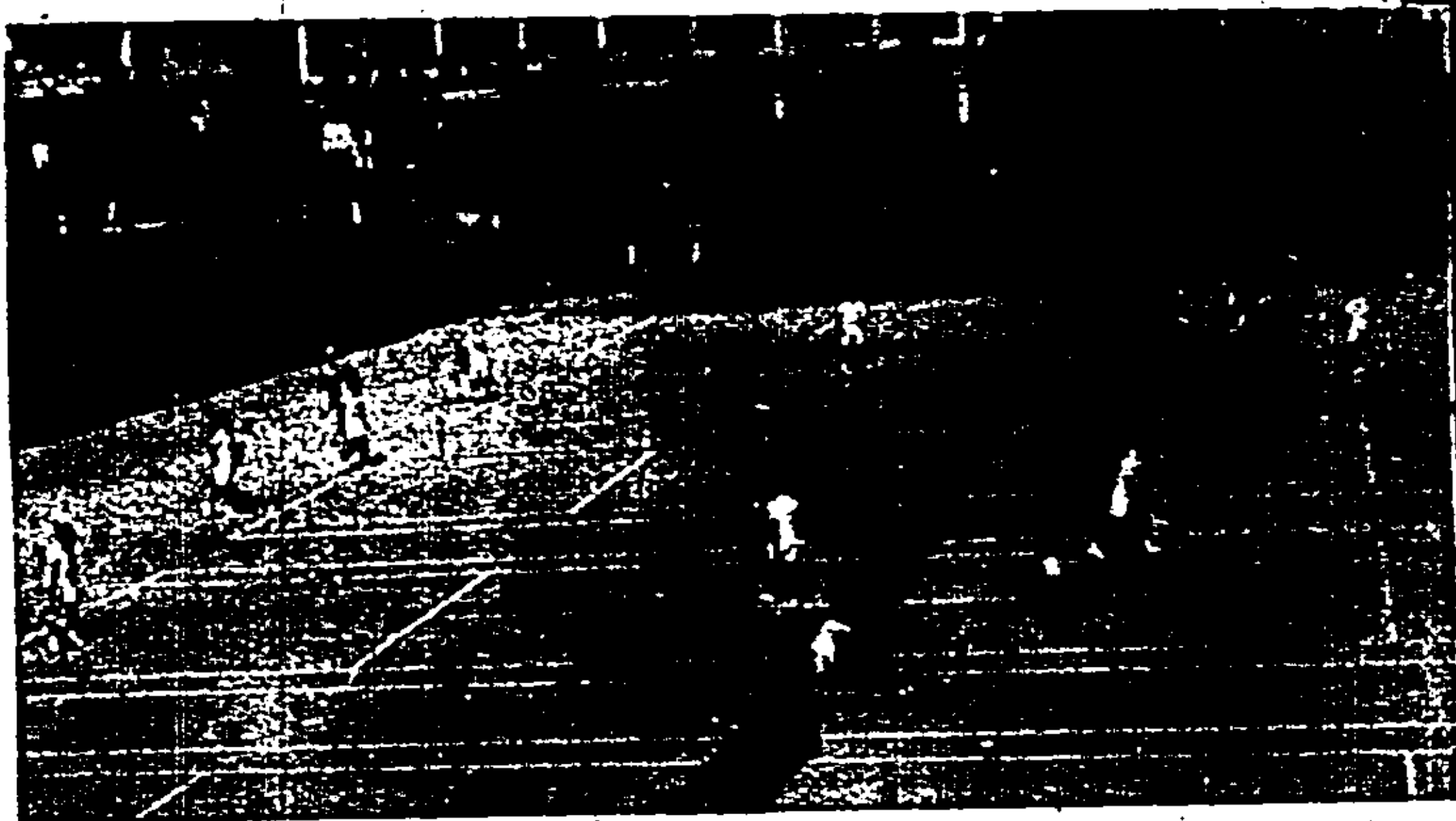
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Sir Harold Hartley, Chairman of B.O.A.C. on a visit to the Company's installations at Kai Tak - (Left to right) Mr. A. D. Bennett, Sir Harold, Mr. Wadsley, Mr. Redden, Mr. Crosbie and Commander Galpin, who is accompanying Sir Harold on his tour. (China Mail photo)



Sir Harold Hartley, Chairman of B.O.A.C. discussing points of interest at Kai Tak with Mr. A. D. Bennett, B.O.A.C.'s Far Eastern Manager, before he left on an aerial inspection of the proposed new airport site. (China Mail photo)



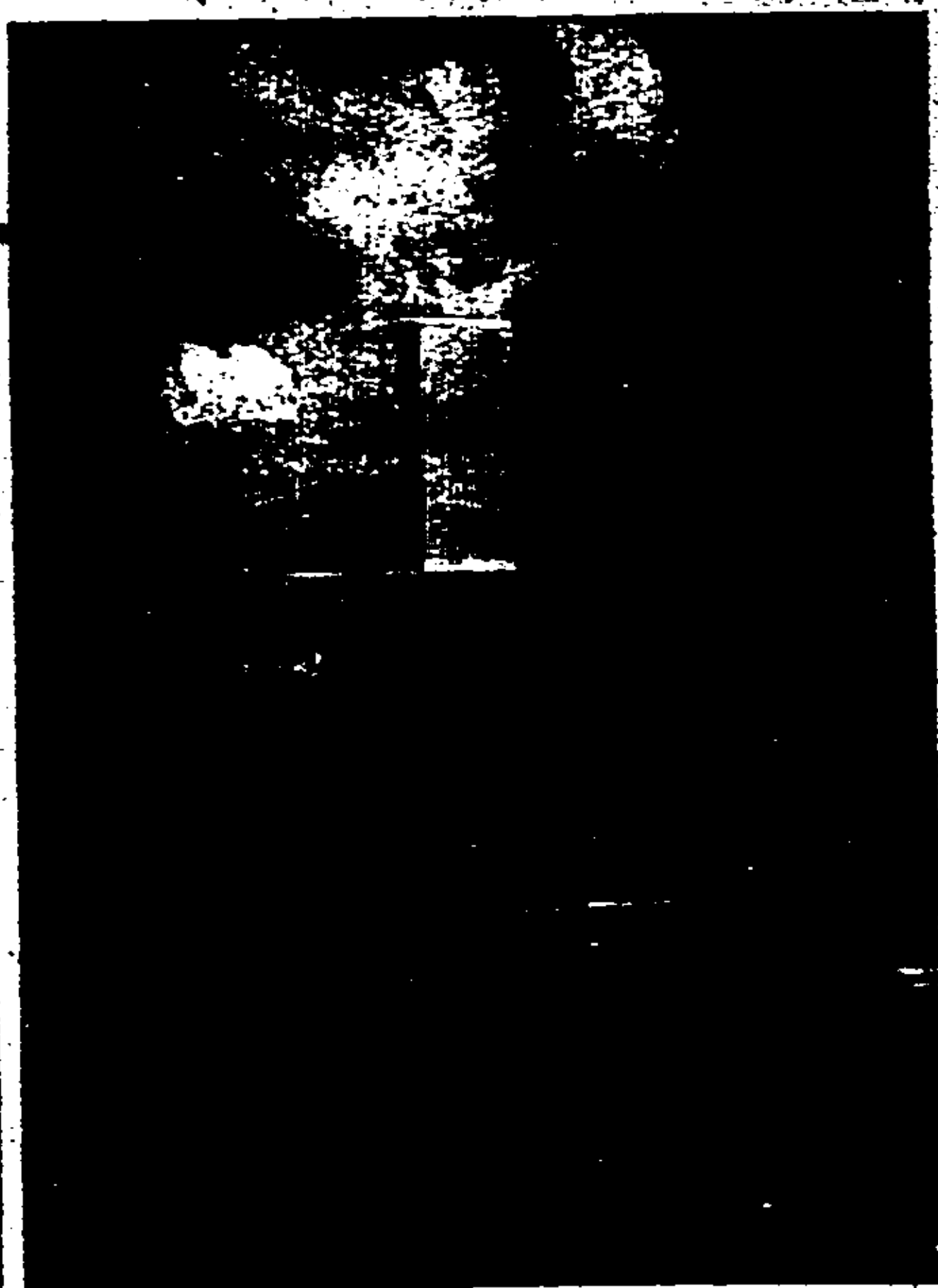
A tennis match and cocktail party was held at the Chinese Recreation Club in honour of Sir Man-Kam and Lady Lo on October 30. Photograph of members and guests participating in the tennis match. (China Mail photo)



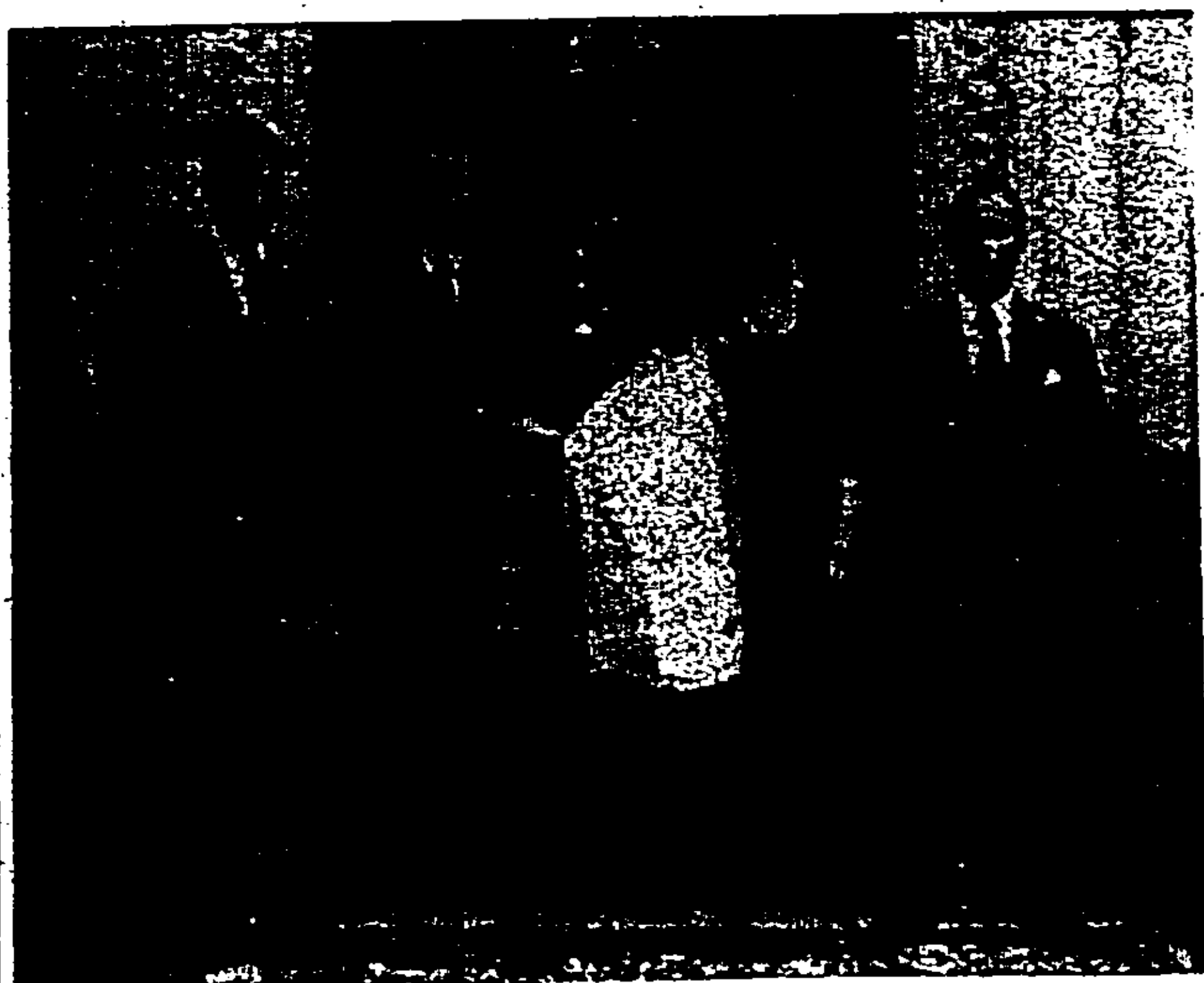
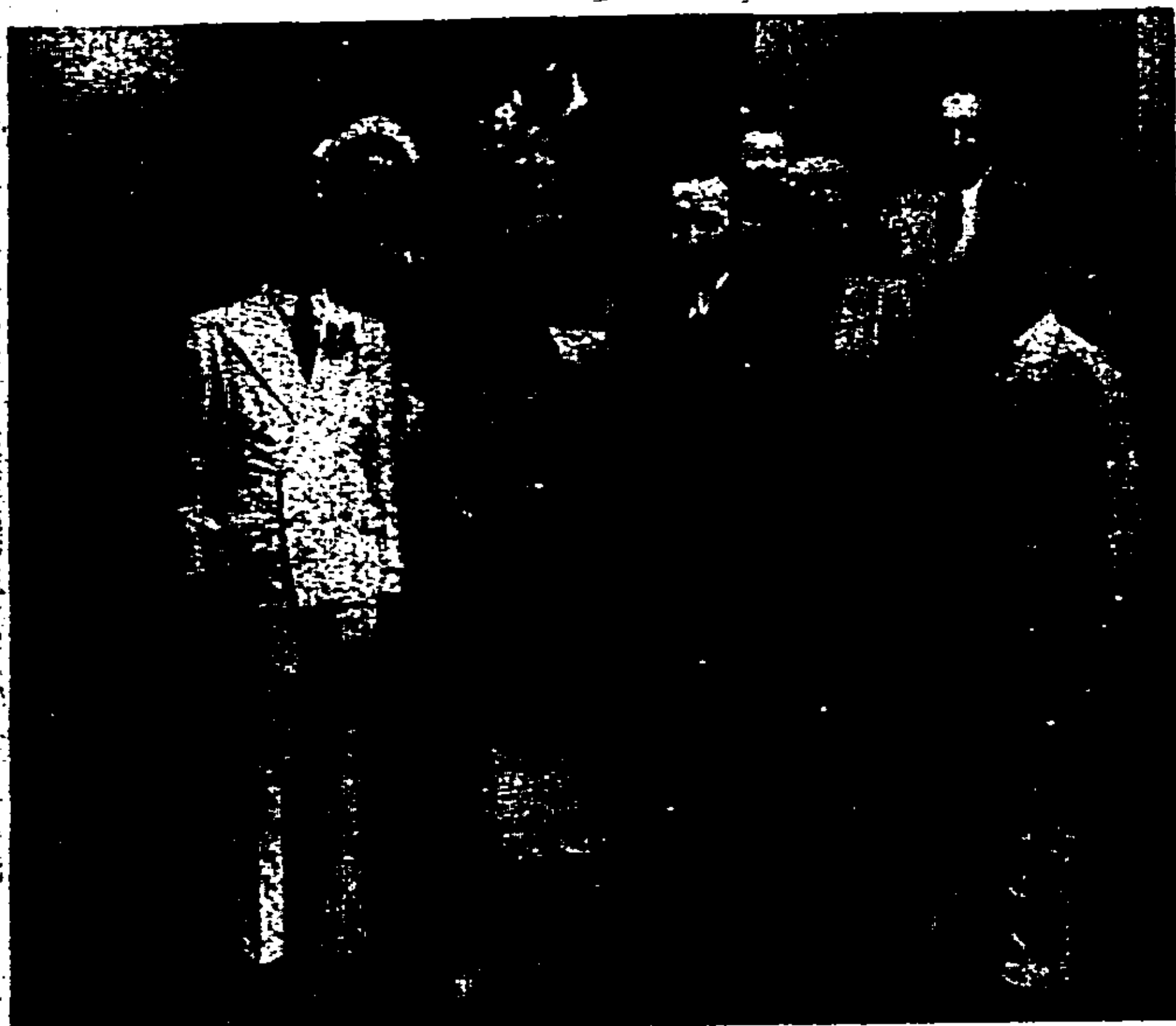
Another photo taken at the Chinese Recreation Club during the cocktail session. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Grantham were among those who attended. (China Mail photo)



Photo taken during an interval at the Chinese Recreation Club when a cocktail party was held in honour of Sir Man-Kam and Lady Lo. Mr. R. R. Todd is shown at the extreme left, Lady Ho is seated at the centre and Sir Man-Kam is at the extreme right.



Photograph taken at Stanley Cemetery of an Unknown Empire Soldier, who fell in the course of defending Hong Kong during the Japanese invasion. (Gainsborough Studio)



Richard Syer Alexander, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Corbett was christened at St. John's Cathedral on October 31. (Left to right) Mr. Frisland, Mr. Corbett, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. Corbett and Mr. Dalziel. (Kings Studio)

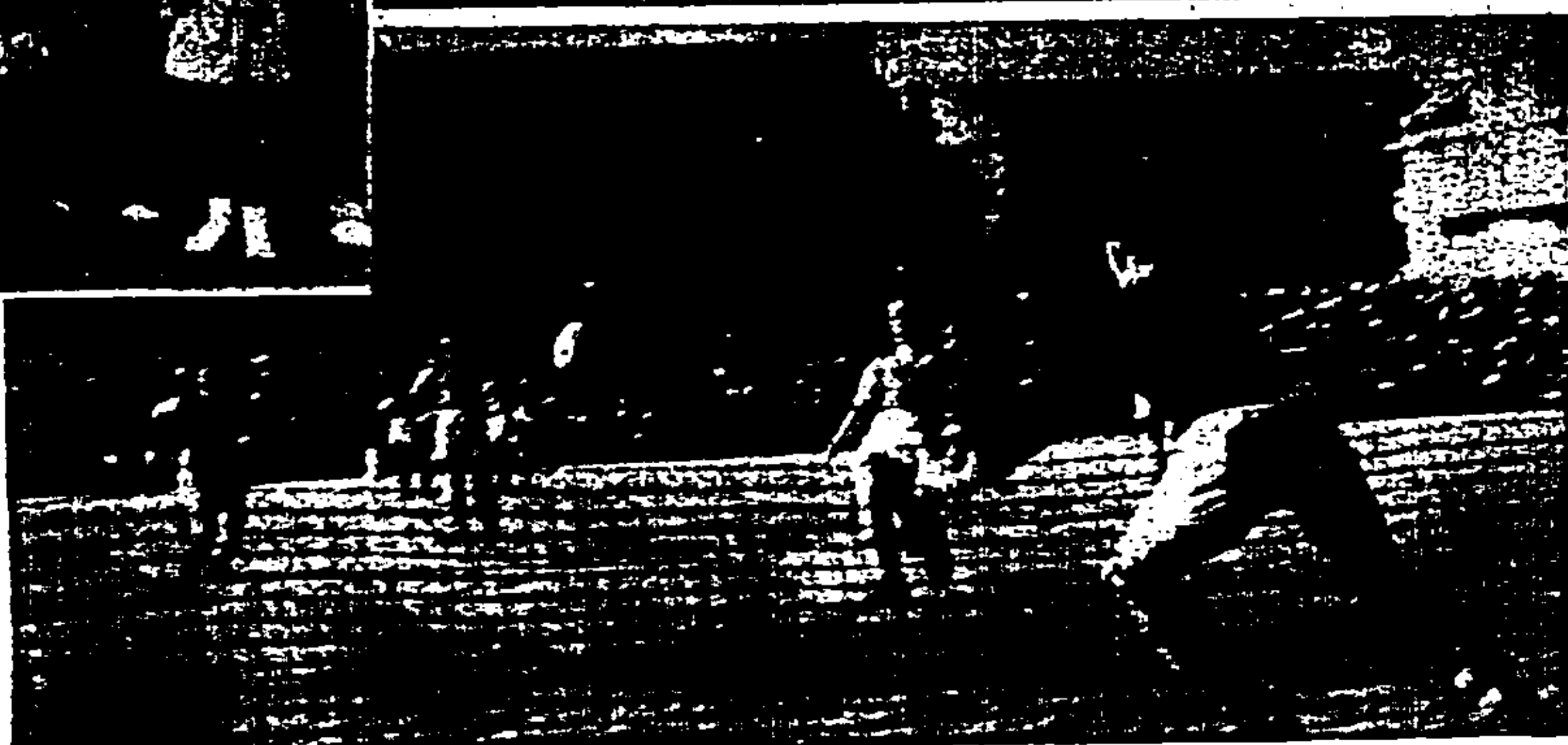
Group photograph taken after the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Gaddi at the Supreme Court on October 16. The bride was formerly Mrs. Ethel Amelia Sutherland. Witnesses were Dr. J. W. Anderson and Mr. E. Hausmann. (Gainsborough)

Group photograph taken after the christening of Roger James, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S.C.H. Mayor at the St. John's Cathedral on October 28. (King's Studio)



The Army soccer team which went down to South China "A" at Sookunpoo by three goals to two in the senior division of the Hong Kong Football League. Mr. Easton is the manager of the team. (China Mail photo)

A penalty shot taken by Lai Shiu Wing of South China "A" scored a goal against the Army. This photo was taken during the Army versus South China "A" soccer game at Sookunpoo. (China Mail photo)



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The Schoolboy Detective

By MARIE MARSHALL

THE ELEPHANT THAT FORGOT

PART XII

"It's no use," said Aunt Rose, coming and standing beside Rob as he bent down beside the still form of the elephant. "If he had a spark of effort in him he'd lift his trunk—I know he would."

"It might make him buck up if Abdullah were here," suggested Rob.

"Abdulla's too upset. He just won't come near. When he heard about it early this morning he nearly went crazy. Rajah, the old lion, has been roaring since about midnight. These animals sense things, I guess," she added thoughtfully.

"If we could only get a vet!" Rob stroked the elephant's trunk. "Look, his eyes are opening!"

"I've sent over to the police station for help," said Aunt Rose, "and if your Dickie Wilson can do anything, we might get help in time. The trouble is you need circus people to treat circus animals. The men have given the elephant some stuff, but they're not experts."

"What about the rival circus?" Rob stood up quickly. "They'd help, surely."

Aunt Rose stiffened. "Nobody belonging to that Rutherford boy must come here! Abdullah wouldn't stand for it."

"But we've got to do everything we can," pleaded Rob. "This isn't time to worry about old grudges. I'll go over to the circus and see if anyone there can help." He looked again at the elephant. "I think there's a chance of saving him. Come on, old boy!" He urged Rob. He patted the elephant's trunk three times in the way he had seen Abdullah do it so often. "Up! Up! Up!"

But there was no response, although the elephant seemed now to be taking an interest in his surroundings. His small eyes were alert.

"I'll go to the other circus," said Rob, firmly. "While I'm away, try to get Abdullah to come in. He's the one who knows the elephant best."

"I'll say he does!" cried Aunt Rose. "Why, nobody knows the elephant like Abdullah. Hardly anyone has ever been near him except Abdullah, all the time he's been with us. Poor Abdullah's heart must be broken."

Rob left the enclosure, determined to seek aid from the rival circus. He ran all the way down the main road to the circus. He was amazed on pulling up at the entrance to find that most of the circus tents and caravans had gone, and that men were in the act of moving the small wooden office on to a lorry.

"Hey, what do you want?" asked a big hand, putting a firm hand on Rob's shoulder.

"I want help for a sick elephant," replied Rob, shaking himself free. "You must have someone here who knows—"

"We've got no time to waste!" snapped the man. "Everybody's moved on except us. Now get along with you!"

As he walked back Rob thought quickly. Old Rajah had been restless for a long time, as if he knew something was going on. Had he been disturbed at midnight by the movement of part of the rival circus? Had Bill Rutherford been near the circus since yesterday? All sorts of suspicions worried him. He remembered the elephant's strange behavior in the ring when he had seen Bill Rutherford in the audience. It was obvious that the elephant disliked Bill Rutherford. Why? Had he caused the elephant's illness? Had he also tried to injure old Rajah?

The schoolboy detective realised that there seemed no definite clues by which he could hope to solve the mystery. He

realised, too, that Abdullah's suspicions of Bill Rutherford had greatly colored his opinion of Bill's behavior.

Aunt Rose was the first to greet Rob when he entered the enclosure.

"Dickie Wilson's here with his father and a vet," she told him excitedly. "And, believe it or not, but the elephant's already on his feet!"

Rob could not believe the good news until he saw the elephant. He rushed forward and patted that amazing trunk. "Up, up, up!" he coaxed.

"I think his circus days are over," said Aunt Rose sadly. "They say an elephant never forgets. But he's forgotten his great trunk trick. I don't know how we can tell Abdullah!"

(To be continued.)

HENRY IN A SCRAPE

It was not unusual for Henry to get into scrapes but he seemed to get out of them as easily as he got in.

There was, however one exception. It happened like this.

One day when one of the streets near Henry's home was quiet and there was no traffic passing through and the boys were playing games, though Henry was forbidden to play in the street, he joined in the game of football. His first kick sent the ball smashing through a window, and out came the owner of the house. The owner was a cross old fellow called Brister. He made a rush for the boys but Henry disappeared round the corner and the only boy caught was Jack Willett. "Please Mr. Brister," began Jack, "I didn't do it."

"Who did, then," asked Mr. Brister. Jack did not want to get Henry into trouble so he said he did not know. As for Henry he thought it was wise to stay in bed for the rest of the evening.

The next morning Mr. Brister called at the school and saw the headmaster. Jack was called in to the office and again he denied having broken the window but he admitted he had been playing football.

The headmaster saw that Jack did not want to betray his friend and so he did not press him any further. But that morning when the whole school was assembled in the main hall, the headmaster gave a lecture on "Playing the game."

Henry felt very unhappy when he went home and he told his father all about it. His father said to him, "Henry, you know as well as I do what is the right thing to do," so Henry made a clean breast of the whole thing to the headmaster.

He told him that he was sorry for not admitting he had broken the window and he said he would pay the cost of replacing it.

This story was sent in by J.A. Reis but unfortunately there was no address. Please let me know if you will send an honour certificate.

PUZZLE

Winnie Read of Kowloon has been asked to solve a puzzle. She doesn't know the answer and wrote to me asking me if I knew the answer.

I thought it would be a good idea to ask you to solve it for Winnie. The puzzle is 45-45-45. Who knows the answer?

When you think you know the answer send it to Auntie Vee, Children's Herald, Windsor House, Hong Kong. Please mark your envelopes in the bottom left hand corner "Puzzle."

THE ESCAPE

The German sentry strode round the corner of the building. Thud! A rubber cosh struck him, knocking him out. As he slid to the ground, a hand shot out of the shadows, and caught the rifle as it fell, preventing it from clattering to the cobbles and raising the alarm. "O. K. John," whispered the voice of Commando Sergeant Jack Wilson, to his pal behind him.

A man clad in the uniform of a German soldier stepped out of the shadows. He was Sgt. John Walker of the Commandos, and he and Jack were the only ones who had not been captured, of a group of 10 who had been forced to land in France, as their ship, which was taking them to London had gone out of control, and run aground. Jack was just procuring a uniform for himself, to get past the guard at the gate. Their plan was to reach the hut, in which eight other men were prisoners, then enter the aerodrome that was situated next to the camp, and fly to England.

They reached the hut, freed their pals, and crept away. Once they had gained access to the field, the rest was easy. While John prepared the bomber they were going to "borrow," Jack set a time-bomb in the ammunition dump. It was then that disaster came. Just as Jack returned to the plane, and John started up the engines, some guards arrived on the scene, and fired two shots. One hit Jack, but the plane got away. Then another volley of shots rang out, and two found their way into John's arm and neck.

Still the plane flew on, and in it were two comrades, their hands clasped as they gave a last handshake. They were dead in half an hour. On reaching England, the story of their bravery was told by many people, and they were posthumously awarded the Victoria Cross.

Honour certificate to Arthur Calvert, H.Q. H.K.V. Corps, Garden Road, Hong Kong.

WHO AM I?

C is for Celery that you eat,
H is for ham which you can heat,
I is for island with London in it,
L is for lyre, like a swallow or
D is for doll, a girl's toy,
R is for Roger the name of a boy.
E is for egg, with bacon you eat it,
N is for ninty a car's speed limit.
S is for Sarah the name of a girl,
H is for Harold the husband of Merle,
E is for elephant a big animal,
R is for Rover, a boy's pal.
A is for auntie, my mother's sister,
L is for lotion, you put on a blister,
D is for duck you sometimes feed,

My whole is something you all should read.

(Answer Children's Herald)
Honour certificate to Roger C. Kemp of 14 c Hillwood Road Kowloon.



In The Mailbag

ODETTE SOUZA wrote asking several questions and suggesting that I reply to her in this column. I will write to you personally, Odette.

YIU CHUNG-AU thinks the Children's Herald is superb. Thank you, Yiu. If you read the editorial letter on the front page you will see I am hoping to get some longer stories to use as two or three part serials. Why don't you write some?

ROBERT LANG lost his certificate. I am sending you another one, Robert.

DOROTHY WONG enjoys the Children's Herald because she likes to read stories and poems sent in by her friends. Wouldn't you enjoy it more if you could read your own stories? I would like to have some from you, Dorothy.

RIDDLES

Over the water,
And under the water,
And always with its head down.
(Answer: A ship's Nail)

As I went through the garden
gap whom should I meet,
But Dick Red-Cap!
A stick in his hand, a stone in
his throat:-
If you'll tell me this riddle, I'll
give you a goat.

(Answer: A Cherry.)

As I was going O'er London
Bridge,
I met a cartfull of fingers and
thumbs.

(Answer: Gloves.)

PARTY GAMES

Balloon Race.

Each player is given a blown-up balloon and a fan made from pleated newspaper.

The players stand in a row, with their balloons in front of them on the floor. About 12 feet away a chalk line is drawn. At the word "go" the players begin to fan their balloons towards the chalk line.

The player whose balloon is first across the line is the winner.

Sent by—Desiree Ozorio Kaya-

mally Bldg Top floor Hong Kong. These riddles are not Desiree's own work but she thought the other "Ha alders" might like them. Thanks, Desiree.

Steve's Reward

There was once a boy called Steve who was an orphan. He was the servant of a wealthy lady and every day he would chop the fire wood in the back yard of the house.

The lady had a grand-daughter called Alice and she was very kind to Steve. It was Christmas and the lady gave a party. She invited all her grand-daughter's friends to go, except Steve. Poor Steve. He saw the boys and girls eating, dancing and singing. His heart felt as heavy as lead as he chopped the wood.

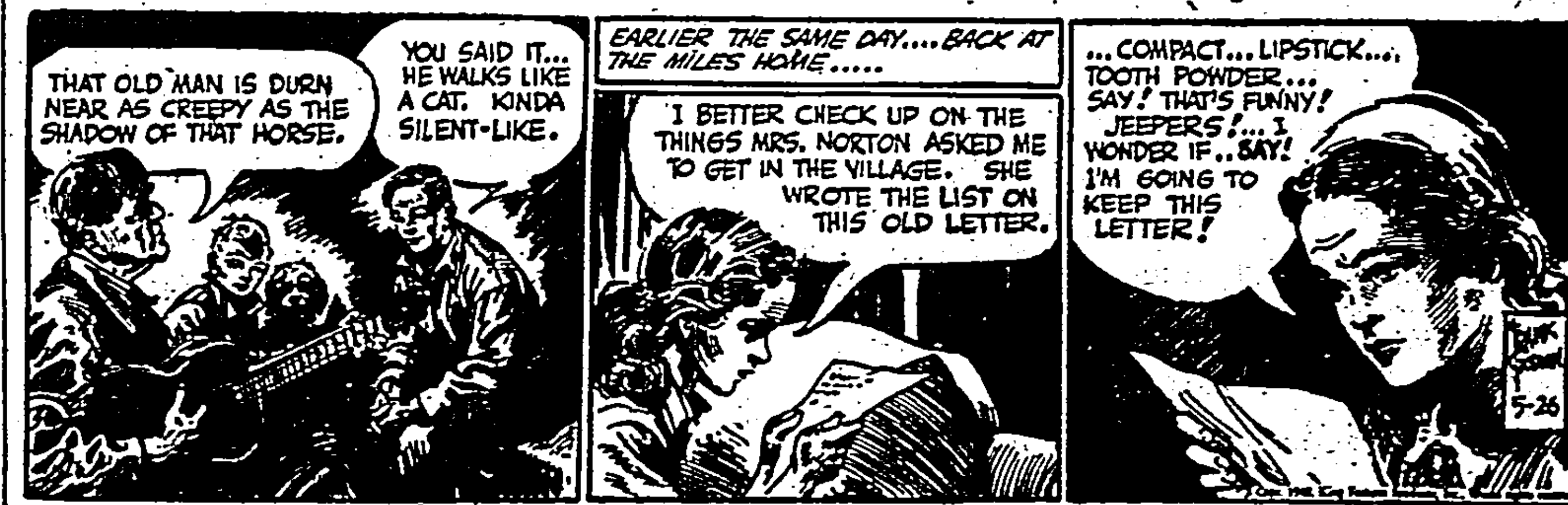
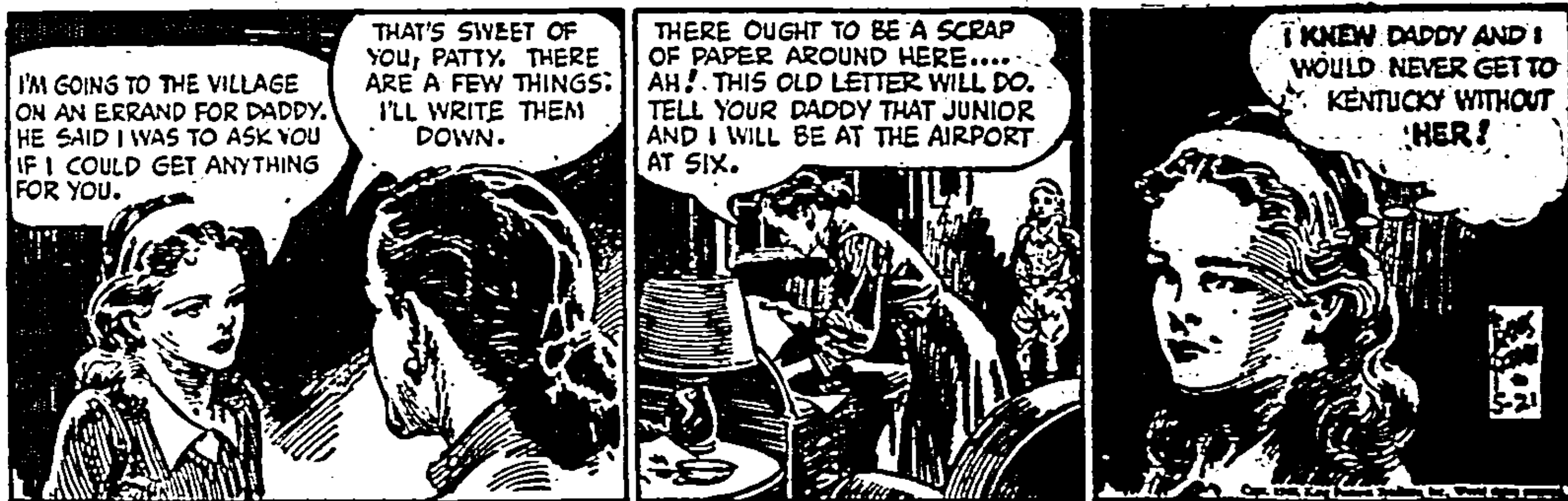
Suddenly he heard a loud crash overhead and he looked up and saw a man entering the lady's bedroom. He called out and gave the alarm. The police came and the burglar was caught.

Because of his action the lady wanted to give him some reward so she invited him to join in the party. From that day onward Steve was welcomed in the big house and he could play with Alice and her friends whenever he wanted.

Honour certificate to Fanny Ho, of 17 Wina Fung Street West Wanchai, Hong Kong.

RUSTY RILEY

By FRANK GODWIN



Children's Herald

AT MY TYPEWRITER...



It was wonderful the number of replies I received for the crossword competition. Gordon Low sent in six puzzles and suggested we print the names, addresses and hobbies of all the members of the Herald Companions' Club. This is a very good idea, Gordon, and starting from next week the names will be printed in alphabetical order. About 12 names will be published each week. If you do not wish your name to appear, please write and tell me so.

Several Heralds have enquired whether they may submit long stories to be used as a serial in two or three parts. Of course, send them in; they will make a change from the short stories we usually receive.

Thank you for all the suggestions that are rolling in. These should help to make the Supplement just what you want. I hope you can solve the puzzle on Page 2.

Happy days to you all, from

Auntie Vee

Quotation Cuts

I wish I liked the Human Race;
I wish I liked its silly face,
I wish I liked the way it talks;
I wish I liked the way it talks;
And when I am introduced to one
I wish I thought What Jolly Fun!

Laughter from a cloud, by Sir Walter Raleigh.

God made the wicked Grocer,
For a mystery and a sign,
That men might shun the awful shop,
And go to inns to dine.

Song against grocers, by Gilbert Keith Chesterton.

World Spotlight: GIRLS ON FREIGHTER

NEW ORLEANS (U.P.)—Capt. A. D. Niblett, skipper of the British freighter La Cordillera, signed on 13 girls as an "experimental stage."

The women are all listed as stewards (they refuse to be called stewardesses). They cook, clean, do the catering and the storekeeping on La Cordillera, and, according to Niblett, don't "cause any trouble."

"At first," he said, "there was a bit of fuss from some of the men, but that has blown over. Strangely enough, it was not the old-timers who objected, but the young men. The girls still cause

some excitement, of course, and when other vessels see us coming, the glasses are trained on our ship."

The girls have eight cabins on a deck of their own. They sleep in hammocks on a higher deck when the weather is warm. They have hung curtains on the portholes and one even has a sewing machine on board.

Pretty Kathleen Ritchie, from Hampshire, England, is in charge of the stewards. She said the girls' average age is 25 and that all were members of the British WRENS (British naval auxiliary) during the war.

THE SWIMMER



This week's competition is something you can paint. Every one seems to like painting.

The picture you see in the next column was drawn by one of the Heralds. It is very good, isn't it? Unfortunately I misplaced the artist's name and address. Would you please send it to me?

You can paint this picture in any colour you like. When you are sure it is finished send it to me, Auntie Vee, Children's Herald, Windsor House, Hong Kong.

When you mix your paints don't use too much water as this type of paper might cause it to smudge.

Fill in the coupon below and send it together with your entry. Mark the bottom left hand corner of the envelope "competition".

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ADDRESS

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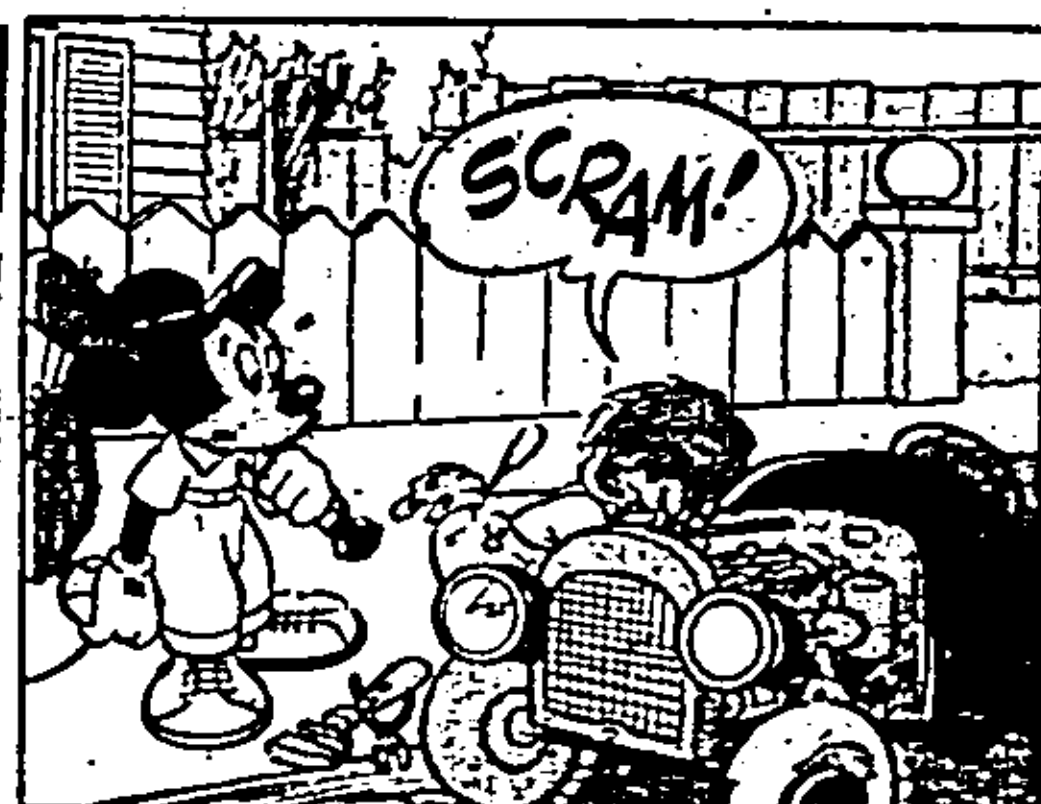
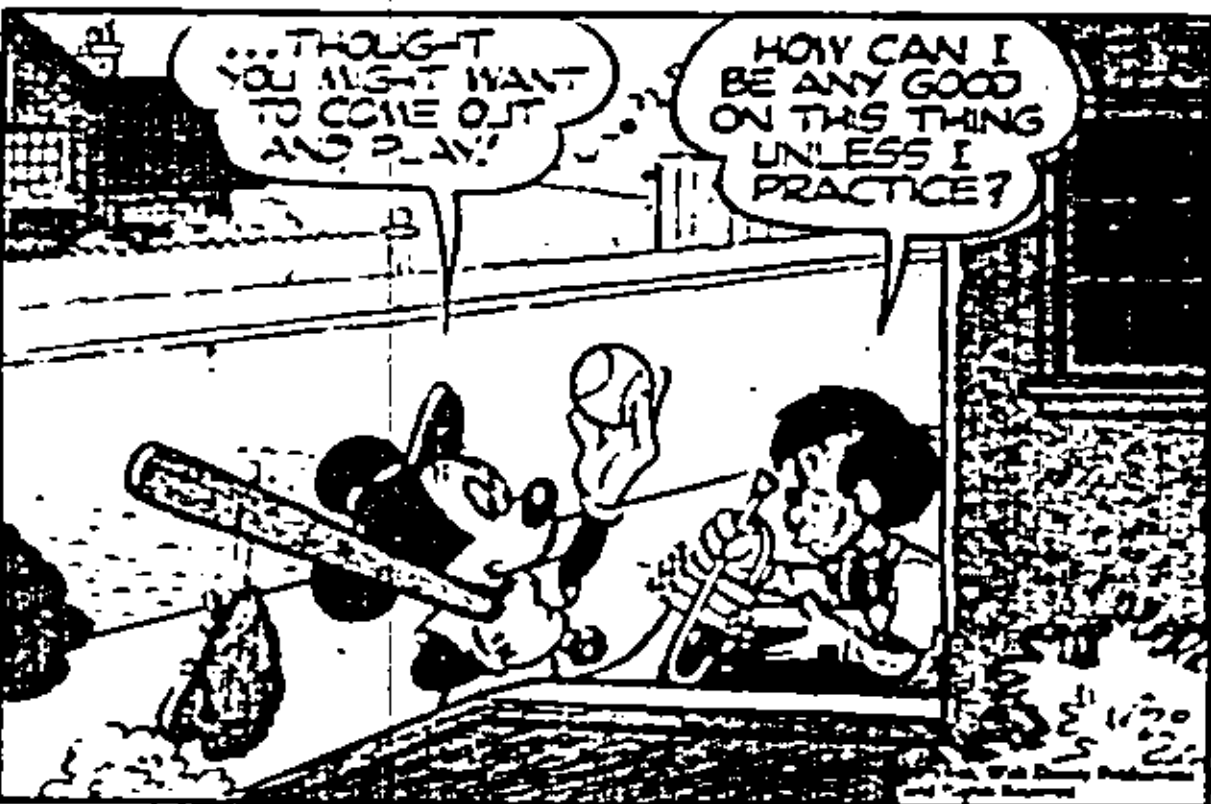
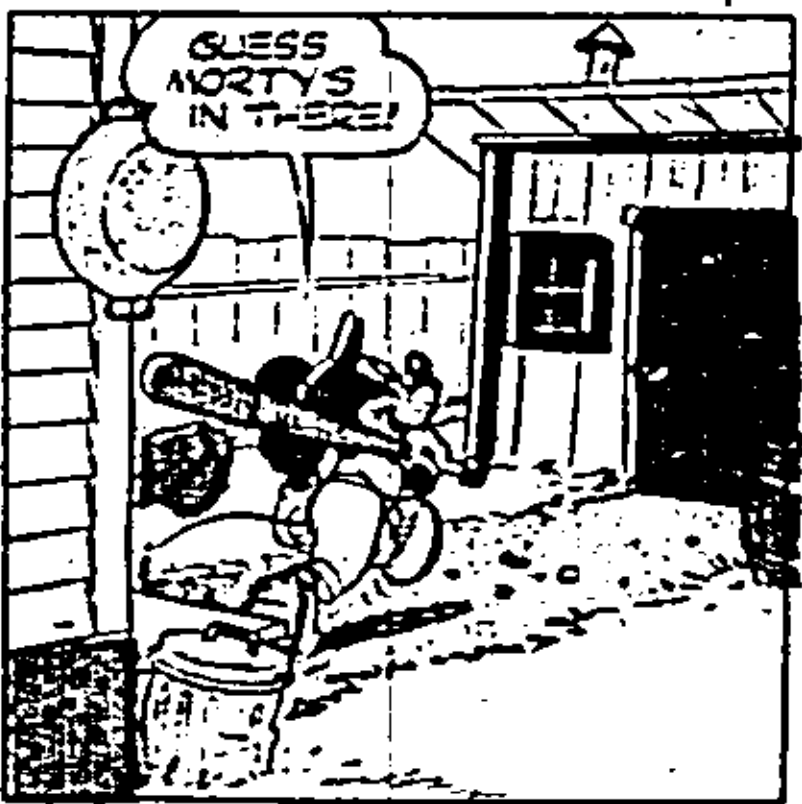
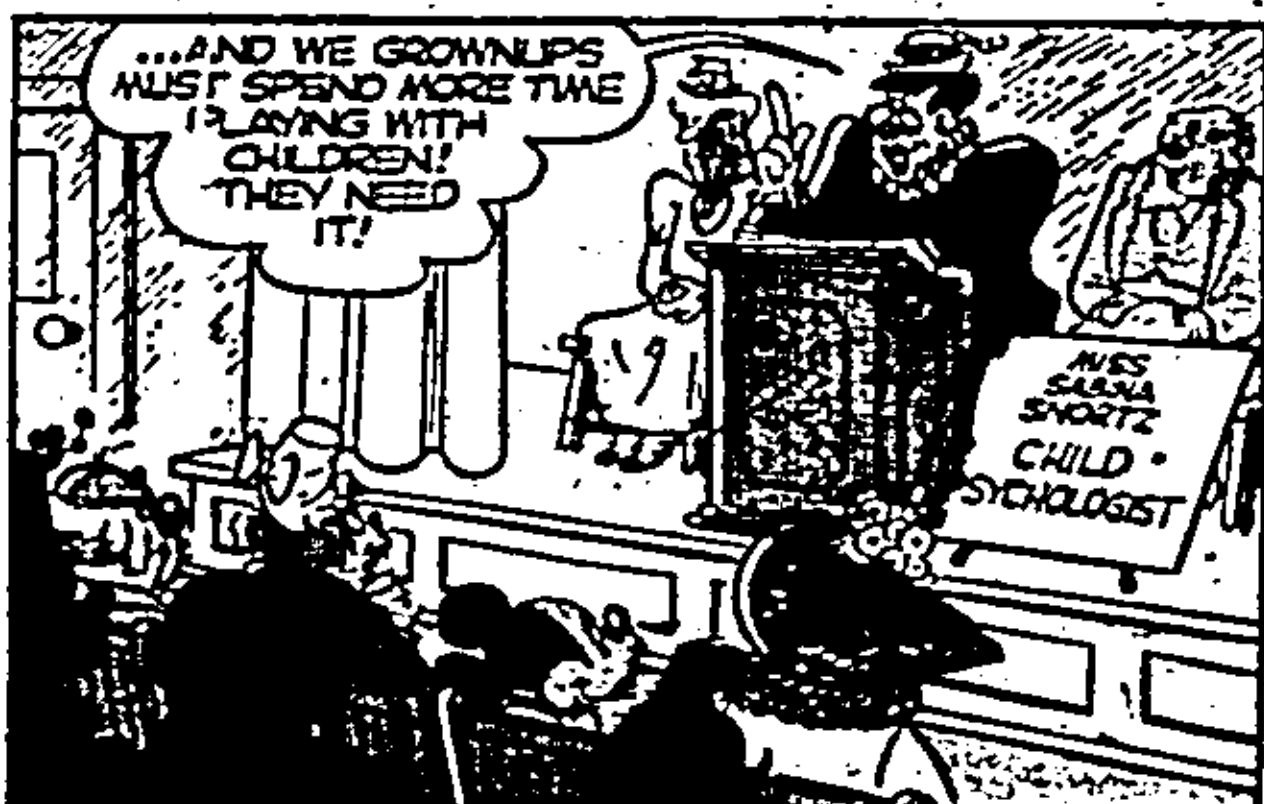
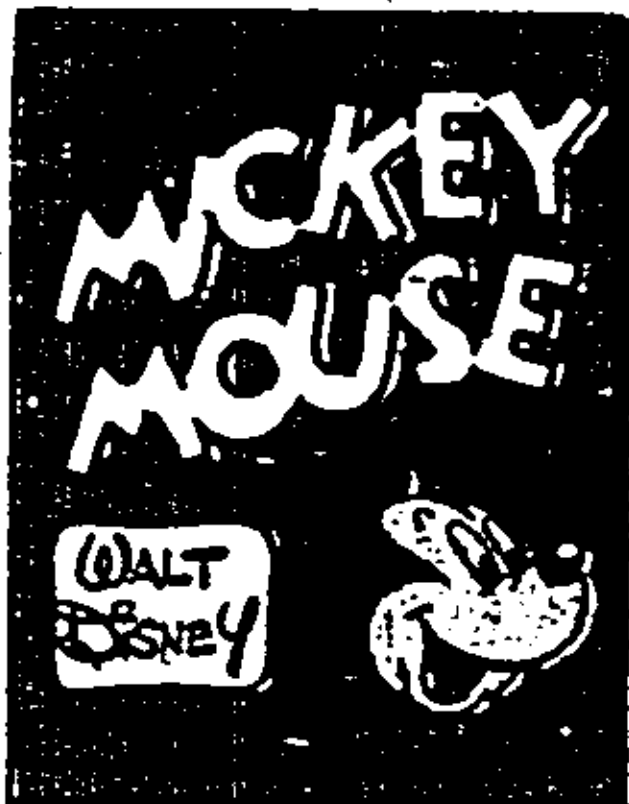
What You Would Have Worn 1850—1875

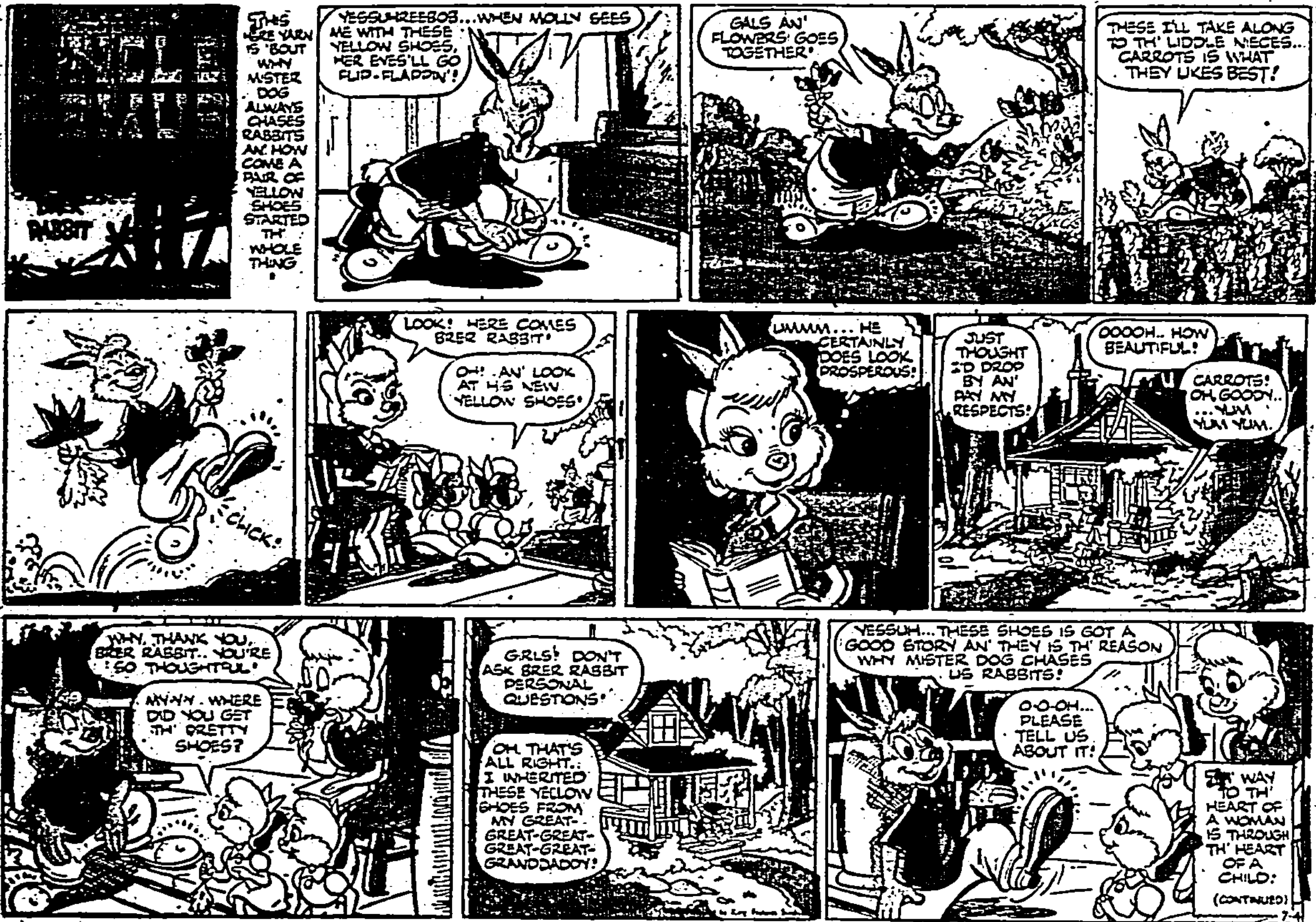
GIRLS. The reign of the bonnet is finished and the large flapping wheel of straw with its tiny crown has taken over. The hat is usually decorated with fly-away-ribbons.

Elastic sided boots are all the craze—not only for street wear, soft coloured leather ones are worn at parties. Nearly every girl is wearing the new bell shaped sleeve and for parties there is usually a frill of dainty lace peeping from under the cuffs. Your

hair style has changed. No longer do you wear it in ringlets down your back but now it is plaited up in coils over your ears.

BOYS. Your clothes are very much the same though your trousers are now wide and gathered into a tight band just below the knee. You still seem to be very fond of your top hat. Your long ringlets have disappeared and now you look rather like a shaggy dog!





SORT OUT THESE JUMBLED WORDS—

Hong Kong seems to be full of cars, as no doubt, you have noticed. But do you really notice the cars? Do you know the names of them or are they just "cars" to you?

Here are some jumbled words. They are all names of cars.

If you cannot sort out the words then turn to the upside down answers.

1. Ahlxlav. 2. Nsuati. 3. Uubc. 4. Lorethcev. 5. Iserak. 6. Coailn. 7. Rcoyesh. 8. Dnho. 9. Dgeod. 10. Romiz.

Answers: Vauxhall, Austin, Buick, Chevrolet, Kaiser, Lincoln, Chrysler, Hudson, Dodge, Morris.

Jumbled Words Answers

These jumbled words were sent by Robert Medina, 21 Bowrington Road, Hong Kong. An honour certificate has been sent to you, Robert.

WORD-WISDOM

Walt (wayf): A homeless, wandering person or animal, without a guardian or owner.

Wuful (will-fool): A person who is obstinate and wants to have his or her own way all the time.

Worry (wurri): A feeling of anxiety and uneasiness; to feel worried sometimes it means to act a quarry (usually applied to dogs) and shake it.

Woyden (hoiden): Rough, clumsy, romping girl, a tomboy.

CORNELIA'S PRAYER

A fire had started out on the prairie and it was sweeping towards the village where Cornelia lived.

Everybody was out fighting the fire but Cornelia and her mother who were too ill to go. Though everyone tried to stop the fire their efforts were all in vain. The fire swept on towards the village, burning farms and barns and everything in its path. The burning shingles were flying all about in the high wind threatening to set the roof alight at any moment.

"Let's tell Jesus", cried Cornelia to her mother and she dropped on her knees and pleaded with Jesus to stop the fire and save them. Then she stood up and turning to her mother she said, "Now it won't burn down our house. I know, it won't. Jesus won't let it."

Just at that moment the wind changed and the onrushing wall of fire was stopped as though an unseen hand had pushed it back. Cornelia's home was left completely unharmed.

Honour certificate to Winnie Read of 23 Lock Road (third floor) Kowloon.

HOWLERS

An angle is a triangle with only two sides.

Typhoid fever may be prevented by fascination.

Parallel lines do not meet unless you been them.

The liver is on the south-east of the heart.

Petroleum is used to cover the floors.

A barrister is a thing used to keep the crowd back.

A refugee is a person who keeps order at a football match.

Fatal diseases—the doctors say—are always the worst.

A cutlass is a small girl.

The Winners

I was sorry I had only six prizes to give out for the Crossword Competition.

Congratulations to the winners! First prize has been sent to Lena Chen 197 Wanchai Road (ground floor), Hong Kong.

Second prize goes to Cynthia Sousa of 4 Gresson Street (second floor), Hong Kong.

Third prize goes to Chan Yip Sing of 23 Hillwood Road (second floor), Kowloon.

Consolation prizes go to James Adams of 16 Stanley Terrace, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong; Angela Yu, of 88A Bonham Road (first floor), Hong Kong and Leung Tak Wah 3 Illumination Terrace (first floor) Tai Hang, Hong Kong.

Who Am I?

T is for tin but not for sin,
Y is for yet but not for get,
P is for puppy but not for lucky.

E is for egg but not for shade,
W is for willie but not for Billie.

R is for race but not for space,
I is for Ingrid but not for angel.

T is for tunnel but not for funnel.

E is for enclose but not for enfold.

R is for ring but not for sing,
And I think you should know the answer by now.

When Auntie Vee writes a letter she uses a—

Honour certificate to Winnie Read, aged 15, of 23 Lock Road (third floor) Kowloon.

MY BUDGIES

I have a pair of budgies. Their names are Sandy and Sue. When I put my finger in the cage

They bit it black and blue. If I give them some lettuce, They tear it into shreds, And look at me as if to say, "That tastes like old stale bread."

If you ever hear a shriek, You know its from the male, For the female is forever Biting his long tail.

But for all this, I like my budgies so, But although I'm always teaching them, They still won't say "Hello."

Honour certificate to James Adams of 16 Stanley Terrace, Quarry Bay Hong Kong.

A Pair Of Shoes

It was dark and misty the night I was born. You see, I am a pair of shoes for a little girl.

On the morning after my birth I was placed in the shop window by Mr. Brown. I looked very nice in a red polished coat when, all my companions had brown ones.

I was taken out of the window a few days later into the house of a little girl called Arabella. Arabella was very glad to have me, but after a few weeks she got tired of me and knocked me about until I was full of bruises. I was nursed by a cobbler who was very kind and treated me well.

Arabella had used me for two months and then I was given to a little orphan named Belinda. Belinda was the kindest, sweetest girl I had ever met. She polished me and kept me in a box.

A I grew older Belinda did not like me so much so she threw me

Margie's Lesson

There was once a school girl called Margie and she was very greedy. Whenever her mother made pies or cakes there was always one or two stolen.

Whenever her father bought sweets there was always a quarter of them missing from the cupboard. This made her parents worry very much and they did not know how to cure her.

One day Margie's Aunt came to pay them a visit and her mother explain all about Margie. The two ladies talking all the afternoon and at last her Aunt thought of an idea. She told Margie's mother to make a cake and instead of putting sugar inside she was to put pepper!

Margie's mother bought the pepper and the cake was made. And that night Margie went to the kitchen and she saw the cake sitting there. She picked it up and took a big bit. Then she began to scream. Her mother woke up and came rushing down the stairs and gave Margie a glass of water.

"That's all right, dear" said Margie's mother, "I hope you will be a good girl in future and not be so greedy." When Margie went to bed she resolved to stop being greedy.

Honour certificate to Fanny Ho, 17 Wing Fung Street West, (second floor), Wanchai, Hong Kong.

into the gutter. I was so dirty that no one cared to look at me until one day a beggar boy picked me up and washed me. Then he wore me.

As I was too old to be worn any more after that, I was thrown into a dustbin.

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PIGMY CARTOON



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ORIGIN OF DESIGN

MORE than any other form of Art, Music responds closely to the analogy of a mosaic pattern, not only in the shape of the designs formed but also in the resultant colour combinations. Permutations and combination of instruments are mathematically endless, and their ensuing tone-colours are limited only by the bounds of human ingenuity in exploring and producing such permutations.

The skill with which the various instruments are welded together to produce a harmonised whole, exemplifies the art of the composer. To conceive just how tremendous is the task, he first has to relate the main sections of the orchestra, viz., strings, woodwind, brass and percussion one with the other. Within each of these main sections, particularly brass and woodwind, the question of balance of sound remains to be determined. Obviously to score for twenty trombones and one trumpet is an absurd proposition. I sometimes wonder incidentally, if some of the more advanced "moderns" have ever stopped to ponder this problem. Some results of their labours appear to me to justify the conclusion that they have not!

HAVING achieved a degree of balance

in each section, the composer has next to consider the problem of co-ordinating section and section. For example, a soft passage for strings would need an equally sympathetic and appropriate background from the rest of the orchestra. As in the case of the solo oboe from the Largo of Dvorak's 5th Symphony, a muted accompaniment to the solo instrument can be made as equally impressive as the more stirring music of Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance" Marches. The amazing thing, to my way of thinking, on this question of musical design, is the infinite variety of means adopted by composers to achieve telling effects.

Outstanding examples occur with but a moment's thought. The trumpet in that very noble recitative from the "Messiah," "The Trumpet shall sound," is one case. Another is the entry of the solo soprano in the "Requiem" from Verdi's "Requiem" Mass. Or another case is the famous "Surprise" symphony of Haydn, where a sudden drum-roll is introduced, allegedly to awaken the somnolent audiences which caused Papa Haydn so much annoyance!

EXAMPLES are endless, but in each case the effect—and the manner of achievement introduced by the composer is obviously the result of a carefully pre-determined plan. To conceive their compositions, such composers, I feel, must be far removed from the run of ordinary mortals. The incentive within which urged them to write as they did must have been a fire of inspiration which would brook no denial.

To the complications of the orchestral pattern, must now be added that of the chorus. Here again, vast problems of balance fall to be considered to achieve not only correlation as between each section of the choir, but also to co-ordinate the choral work with the orchestra. The mind of the ordinary man must surely boggle and wilt at the problem thus presented. All the more wonder then that such works as Beethoven's Ninth Symphony, Mendelssohn's "Elijah" and Bach's Mass in B Minor were the product of a single man's brain. The fires of inspiration burning bright within them, have enabled them to inscribe for all time a mighty epitaph of glorious sound, which goes down to posterity as their memorial.

QUIZ ANSWERS

1. Strom Thurmond.
2. 22,288,519. Dewey was way behind with 20,420,065.
3. The "Foltava."
4. Formosa.
5. She gave birth to her second daughter.
6. Mr. Justice Reynolds.
7. Wei Li-huang and Tu Yu-ming.
8. The Albert Medal for bravery.

THE divine spark vouchsafed to mortals is not confined to musicians alone. My personal feeling is that musicians—be they composers or performers—seem best able to translate that gift into concrete form, although one cannot deny equal ability on the part of a Duse or a Da Vinci. The true dilettante of the Arts professes "a capability to extract as much pleasure from a Rembrandt as from a performance by an Irving or a Patti. My own way of thinking is that the various arts lie in water-tight compartments and different rules of judgment must needs be brought to bear on each.

However, an ability to enjoy Art in whatever form it may be present is a passport to wider enjoyment than if one is confined to music and painting alone. Each must decide for himself on this aspect, but surely all will agree that "Ars causa Artis" applies generally and true beauty—whatever it's form—must appeal in greater or lesser degree to all but the infidel.

AND so to the ensuing week's features. It is, I imagine, reasonable to suppose that the darker evenings, will attract a larger radio audience than formerly. There are signs and portents of early morning radio plus all-day programmes on Saturdays and Sundays.

SUNDAY

TODAY is Remembrance Day, dedicated alike to those who laid down their lives in World Wars I and II in the cause of Justice. That War is no answer to international problems is surely unquestioned. The havoc, misery and terror that is spread in its wake cannot be supported by glib arguments as to right or wrong.

Nevertheless in 1914 and again in 1939, Britain, America and all the Allies found their sons were not unwilling to answer the call that Freedom might be born again, out of the welter of disgrace into which it had been cast by the common enemy.

Lincoln's everlastingly famous definition of Democracy at Gettysburg surely lives today as a reminder that the futile economic waste that is War must not again be permitted to ravage the corners of the Earth. With memories yet fresh in our minds, it must be the common will of all that War shall not be permitted again.

AT 10.45 a.m. there is to be a relay of the Service from the Cenotaph at Hong Kong, whilst at 6.25 p.m. there is to be a further relay from London "Let Nation Speak Peace Unto Nation" This surely is never more needed to be emphasised than now, when the politicians are again toying with a situation fraught with impending dangers.

On the musical side, the two-part Symphony Concert comes on the air at 9.05, with Part II scheduled for 10.15.

Part I includes Brahms No. 2 Symphony whilst Part II features Prokofiev's Violin Concerto.

Brahms, as a severe classicist, is a little inclined to austerity in some of his works. I do not infer any paucity of inspiration nor a failure to secure a well defined melodic line, but rather his treatment inclined severity in conformity with his professed intention of adhering to classic form.

These remarks, I believe, are true of the No. 2, although such fact does not make it any the less worth hearing. It is a masterpiece of mature symphonic composition, embellished with touch of true artistry.

The Prokofiev Concerto I cannot pretend to know and it must therefore await a first hearing to secure any impression.

MONDAY

AT 10.45 p.m. on Monday there is a little programme of Chamber Music tucked away that must not be missed. It is the Quartette in G by Haydn, one of the really typical works of this jovial composer.

Anyone who approached Chamber

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Music in a state of prejudice would be well advised to let Haydn confound his worst fears. The inimitable manner in which Haydn conveys an atmosphere of joyous "play-together" feeling is tribute not alone to him, but to the exponents as well.

This particular quartette exemplifies in typical fashion Haydn in his most tuneful mood. The times in which he lived with Prince Esterhazy for a patron, were particularly conducive to the composition of music for intimate moods. As one listens, there can be imagined the satins of the gentlemen and the flowered silks and pompadours of the Court ladies.

TUESDAY

HANDEL'S Sonata in D is being given, an interesting contrast in style to the foregoing Haydn quartette. Whereas Haydn's chief characteristic is a gracious joy of musical outpouring, Handel is, best summed up in the word "sturdy."

There is a rock-like steadiness of form in his music from which I always derive a feeling of satisfaction. A curious word perhaps, but nevertheless completely indicative of the primary feeling I have to Handel.

WEDNESDAY

AT 9.45 p.m. on Wednesday there is to be a 30 minute recital of Chopin's Preludes.

Of all piano music, Chopin's must rank among the greatest and most telling ever written. He manages to infuse these compositions with such variety of cross rhythms as to make him by far the outstanding composer of music for the pianoforte. If he does not always succeed in achieving every effect for which he strives, such may be partly due to the demands he places on performer and instrument alike.

At 10.16, Clifford Davies commences a new series entitled "Sands of Time" The successful and appealing "Anthology" series finishes, to be taken over by this feature.

As producer for the Hong Kong Stage Club, Clifford Davies has a well-founded knowledge of the stage and matters musical. This new series is therefore to be anticipated with pleasure. Personally, I feel Mr. Davies has set himself a difficult target if he is to equal the charm and peaceful air of quiet which pervaded his "Anthology" feature.

THURSDAY

AT 8.30 p.m. on Thursday William Walton's Viola Concerto is being given with Riddle as soloist. This work is one of Walton's outstanding compositions, apart from being a welcome contribution to the restricted library of viola music.

FRIDAY

AT 9 p.m. there is to be a Choral and Orchestral Concert, when works of Purcell, Faure, Walton, Bax and Mozart are to be heard. Space precludes more than this bare outline, but the programme promises a Concert of more than usual interest.

SATURDAY

AS a brief footnote, World Theatre tonight at 9 p.m. offers the Bronte Sisters' famous novel "Wuthering Heights." The charm of the Victorian era was well set out in the film setting, and it will be interesting to see how the radio producers tackle this problem in adapting the novel to radio's limitations.

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Health Page

No Disinfectant Will Stop A Cold

Don't wave your handkerchief about in the air, advises Dr. Keith Rodney Dumbell.

Every time you take it from your pocket you scatter 14,720 germs.

Lurking in the average man's handkerchief, but not so easily dislodged, are 45,580 more germs, he said.

Dr. Dumbell, of Liverpool Infirmary, delivered his melancholy finding after he had experimented on the spread of cold infection.

One result of his research was proof that no disinfectant provided immunity from colds.

In one test he dried handkerchiefs which had been in use for two days.

Then in a small, airtight, dust-free room he secured them in front of a blower controlled from outside the room. Filtered air was blown into the room to create positive pressure, preventing any leakage into the room of external air. For half a minute the blower shook the handkerchief. Exposed plates in the room collected

the particles shaken free. There was a total of 60,300 particles, each carrying germs.

In the second test an assistant, wearing only bathing trunks and a dust mask, remained inside the experimental room and copied the actions of someone shaking a handkerchief to unfold it before blowing his nose. He shook free 14,720 germ particles.

Dr. Dumbell weighed the bacteria-carrying particles and found them to be eight times heavier than the "droplet nuclei" from the mouth, therefore carrying a correspondingly larger content of micro-organisms.

Disease Has A New Enemy

Hamburg's I. G. Farben chemical laboratories has developed a new drug, as cheaply produced as aspirin, to help doctors combat dangerous infections.

Named supronalium, the drug is taken in tablet form for such illnesses as pneumonia, peritonitis, blood poisoning.

Doctors in Hamburg hospitals, who have used the drug for a year, report excellent results.

Burns Need Not Leave Scars

TIME Steam from an exploding locomotive had scalded fireman Frank Mihlan, of Erie Railroad.

When he was carried into Cleveland's charity hospital on July 15 doctors thought he had little chance of living: 70 per cent. of his body was burned.

Erie surgeons decided to try something new. They wrapped the patient in bandages made from paper-thin strips of aluminium foil, developed by Toronto's Dr. Alfred W. Farmer. It was the first time aluminium foil had been used in the US for burns, and the first time it was ever used for burns of the whole body.

Mihlan's relief from pain was "miraculous." Within 20 minutes he was resting comfortably.

As an added precaution he was given intravenous fluids and penicillin.

Aluminium foil, which looked like the inside wrapping of a cigarette package, acted as a seal for the body fluids that seeped from the burned surfaces. It also helped to kill bacteria and speed healing.

Twelve days after being bandaged Mihlan was out of bed. Last week, unscarred but temporarily reddened, he left hospital.

Blue Babies Have A Better Chance

Surgeon Brock, of London's Guy's Hospital, has given "blue babies" a better chance of recovery.

He has successfully operated inside the heart of an 11-year-old girl "blue baby."

Previously, "blue baby" operations had been performed only outside of the heart.

Before the operation could be performed, a new instrument had to be invented for insertion in the heart, so the surgeon could inspect the valves and perform the operation under direct vision.

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Worry Can Make You Happy!

Trouble can make life a lot happier, decides Dr. Mandel Sherman, a Chicagoan, who has made a study of what degree of emotional strain a human being can endure.

"The experience of meeting and solving problems helps to give personality zip, and it gives variety and a zest for life," Dr. Sherman told United Press.

"A person who gets a good dose of problems early in life is lucky; he gets a solid training in how to adjust himself rapidly to changes. This prevents breakdowns later in life."

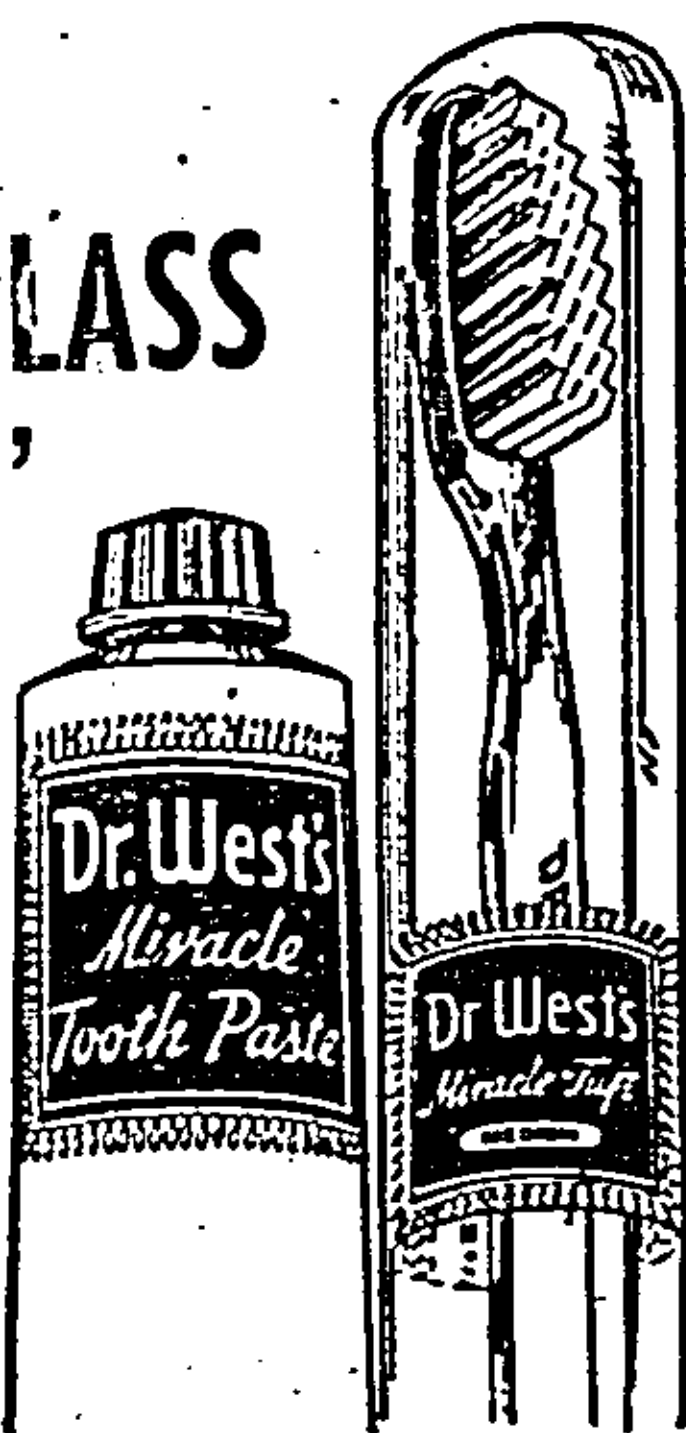
The harried business executive, he said, was generally more stable than the strong silent type. The troubled fellow could take in his stride a crisis that would often floor the outwardly calm type, who masked serious inner conflict.



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THESE ARE MY PEOPLE

By ALAN MARSHALL

We sat very still, suddenly depressed as one sometimes is at the sound of music.

Our petrol was running short, so we looked for a place to camp. The Murray had sunk back between its banks after the floods of winter, but had left the lagoons and billabongs so full that they had spread out between the red gums and lignum.

We pulled on to the bank of a lagoon. Flocks of duck rested in scattered groups on the water. Rabbits bolted away as we came to a stop. I wished Kim was with us.

On a distant bend of the river I could see a hut. Smoke was rising from its slab chimney. Next morning I walked across to see who lived there.

I was greeted by a rush of dogs. They were friendly dogs and wagged their tails as they barked. I concluded their owner must be a kind man.

He was. His name was Andy and he was a bachelor.

"Come in," he said. "I've got a nephew and two of his coppers stopping with me. They're on leave, the buggars. You're the bloke from the caravan, aren't you?"

"Yes," I said. "My name's Alan."

"I see you hoppin' about over there," he said.

The three visitors were A.I.F. boys. They were in uniform.

Andy introduced me: "This is the bloke we saw jumpin' round on sticks. Alan's his name. He wants a cup of tea, George."

He turned to me. "George is the best tea-maker I've ever met. . . I say, he makes good tea." Andy had a habit of repeating any statement he regarded as requiring emphasis.

George, a youth of 18, grinned and rose to his feet. He had been cleaning a shot-gun.

"It was Jack a while ago," he said. "Yes, he makes good tea, too," agreed Andy.

"Don't make any for Andy," Jack said. Jack was the nephew.

"Oh! I'll have a cup," said Andy.

Jack winked at me. "It's always one for the other chap and half a dozen for himself, with Andy," he said.

I could see they were fond of Andy. They grinned when they addressed him.

Ted, the third soldier, said to me. "Andy's got more kid in him than a goat in the family way. He'll kid you up a tree, then chop it down."

"Ted reckons he's a good shot," said Andy. "He learnt in Bourke Street. He's going to get us some duck this morning."

"I never said I'd get any," said Ted. "I said I'd watch you get 'em."

"Didn't he, George?" Andy appealed to the boy filling the teapot. "Didn't he say, 'I'll show you how to shoot ducks'?"

"No," said George.

"There's one thing about city bums," grumbled Andy, "they stick together."

"Look who we're up against, Uncle," said Jack, pulling his chair forward.

We sat around the table and ate mutton sandwiches made by George. Andy drank four cups of black tea while asking me questions about myself. He had heard over the wireless that I was making this trip, he said.

He was about 50 years old and ran a few sheep along the river.

"I'm a battler," he explained.

"He's not a bad sort of bloke," said Ted.

The boys were leaving next day, and Andy had promised them some duck to bring back to camp.

"We're going out in a boat," he said. "How about coming with us?"

"I'd like to," I said.

The boys cleared the table while

Andy filled his pipe and chucked them about their shooting.

"They're good lads," he whispered to me.

The boat, which was moored to the root of a red gum growing by the edge of the flooded lagoon, was not built to hold five, but we squeezed in and pushed off.

I was sitting in the stern. As the boat moved out into clear water it rocked and a splash of water came over the side.

"Steady," said Andy. "There's only about an inch to spare."

The edge of my coat was trailing in the water. I seemed to be sitting almost on a level with the surface. I gathered the soaked portion of my coat in my hands and wrung it dry.

Andy, from his seat in the bow, called out anxiously, "Can you swim, Alan? I never thought to ask you. . . I say, I never thought of it."

"Yes, I can swim," I said. "If we go down, every man for himself."

Jack was rowing. The boat went forward in little jerks.

"I wonder will we get any," said George. He was young and this was a new experience for him.

"Keep your eyes open and don't talk so much," said Andy. "I say, keep your eyes open."

Jack shipped his oars. He turned his head seeking a passage through the lignum and swamp willow. We had lost sight of the bank. We moved through a maze of flooded manuka and red gums standing in water.

Drooping branches brushed our faces in narrow reaches where the air was still and the sun warm on our shoulders.

The boat nosed its way through the tops of submerged ti-tree. Unseen branches scraped beneath us, slowing up our easy glide as if hands were clutching the keel.

"Jack, you're the best rower I've ever seen," said Andy.

"You've never seen me row; have you?" asked Ted.

"No," said Andy. "I've seen you doing something to make a boat move along, but I've never seen you rowing."

We brushed aside a palisade of sapling heads and emerged into open water.

"What's that?" exclaimed George excitedly, pointing toward a scurrying bird. "It's a duck. Have a shot. Get ready."

"That's a darn bald coot," said Andy disgustedly. "You Australian pommies are all the same. You can't tell a duck from a coot."

His eyes had a multitude of wrinkles around them. He smiled whenever he spoke.

"Well, what's that, then?" asked George, indicating a group of birds paddling desperately towards the tops of some partly submerged ti-tree.

"Water-hens," said Andy. "There'll be ducks further up. Jack, you're the best rower I've ever seen."

"Ting-aling-aling. Full speed ahead," said George.

"I'm flat out now," said Jack.

"Can you row?" Andy asked.

"A bit," I said. "I'll have a crack at it."

"A bit's not enough. Give George a go, Jack."

"Yes, I'll have a go," said George.

They changed places. The boat

rocked.

"Deaths have been caused like this," I murmured abstractedly, examining the gun on my knee. "They drown on holidays an' that."

George took the oars. He handled them uncertainly. The course of the boat was erratic, but he put all his strength into the task.

"George, you're the best rower I've ever seen," said Andy.

George looked embarrassed.

A duck passed over our heads, flying swiftly.

"That's a whistler," said Andy.

"They're the fastest duck on the river. They cook well. . . I say, they cook well."

"There's a flock of black duck now," I said. "Look!"

We had rounded an island of lignum. Ducks, in a small flock, were resting like toys upon a broad expanse of shinning water. Andy raised his gun.

Jack was almost as quick. The ducks tore the surface with their trailing feet as they lifted into the air. They circled and cut across in front of us. The double report of the guns made one dark sound.

The speeding flock swerved as if to avoid an obstacle. One duck, its beating wing suddenly arrested, somersaulted in the air then came tumbling. . . tumbling. . . past a background of cloud; past a patch of blue; past the skirting trees to strike the surface of the lagoon with a heavy impact and a flowering of water.

Another duck had staggered at the report. It swayed in its flight, dropped beneath the flock, then recovered and flew strongly for a little way. But it faltered again and started to fall. Its wings lost their rhythm; they beat frenziedly but without direction. It fought like one who is drowning. After it struck the water it fluttered in circles feathering the surface into ripples that caressed our boat while we were still rowing toward it.

It was dead when we reached it. I could see its head beneath the surface of the clear water hanging lifelessly from its floating body. Its eyes were open, its bill agape.

"Grab it," said Andy, as we slid past.

I reached out and lifted it with my hand. The contrast between the coolness in which it rested and the hot blood that welled from beneath its feathers was horrible.

"You don't like shooting?" asked Jack, who had noticed my expression.

"No," I said. "I don't—not just for sport."

"We want to get some to eat," he explained.

"I know that," I said.

We picked up the other duck and moved out among red gums. The huge limbs arched over us, their end leaves trailing in the water. We startled three swans into heavy flight.

"They take off like Sunderlands," said Ted. "Cripes! they're a weight. What would a swan weigh, Andy?"

"Don't know," said Andy. "I haven't weighed any this week."

"Ever eat one?" asked Ted.

"They're too tough," said Andy. "A young one might be all right."

He started to pluck the two ducks at his feet.

"You want to take the feathers off while they're warm," he said.

He threw handfuls of feathers over the side. They danced on the troubled water in our wake.

"There go some wood-duck," I exclaimed.

We watched the flock glide to a landing behind a barrier of manuka.

"Into it," whispered Andy.

George tore at the oars. The boat leaped forward. The prow dipped to the sudden drive, and water poured in on Andy's back.

"Steady!" he yelled. "Water's coming in over the nose here."

George turned round to look and caught a crab. His oar skidded over the surface of the water and he lurched sideways. The boat rocked. Water came over the side in a wave.

"Buggar it!" exclaimed Andy in exasperation. "We're sinking. Grab the guns. . . I say, grab the guns."

I sat looking at my feet. Water was running into my shoes. I felt an intense revulsion at the thought of getting my clothes wet. The boys were



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grabbing guns and laughing. I couldn't accept the fact that we were sinking. I kept thinking of the bandages on my splinted leg and of how I would have to dry them.

I hooked Isabel and Horace on my arm and looked round. There was no bank in sight, only trees. I noticed one in which a fork was flush with the surface of the water and decided to swim there. I still couldn't accept the inevitable wetting of my clothes.

The boat sank slowly. I had always imagined they went straight down, giving the occupants little time to think. A sudden rush of water came from all sides.

"Are you all right?" called Ted.

"I'm jake," I said. "I'm making for that tree."

Two waves of water slapped together in the centre and I was swimming.

"Hey! you can stand up," yelled Andy, whose shoulders were just out of the water.

The boys dropped their feet and stood up.

"You can stand up," Jack called to me.

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EXPERIENCE TELLS

AN EXAMPLE of actor-turned-playwright is Derek Browne, whose latest radio play 'Death in Three Brains' will be heard by listeners in the General Overseas Service on Monday at 4.15 p.m. and Wednesday at 8.15. Browne's latest play is the first of what he hopes may become a series about the 'Imaginary Scribbler's Club.' One of the occasional entertainments at the club is that three members round the dinner table are required to tell an impromptu story based on a theme supplied by the chairman. In this case it is a drowning which has just been reported in the six o'clock news. Each of the authors tells his story—and very good tales they are—but one of the stories appears to foretell rather too accurately the story that eventually came out in the police court.

ALL ABOUT FOXES

THE NEXT ISSUE of 'The Naturalist' to be heard in the General Overseas Service on Friday at 5 p.m. deals with foxes, perhaps the cause of more fierce arguments in Britain than any other animal. This programme, however, is not concerned with the pro or anti-fox-hunting fraternity. Sheila Young and Charles Castle—two amateur naturalists who gave an outstandingly good broadcast recently on the subject of hares—will speak as naturalists only, leaving controversy entirely out of the question. They will be under the chairmanship of Brian Vesey-FitzGerald.

It is surprising how much can be told about the fox in 20 minutes, his devices for cleaning himself—for he is a notoriously filthy animal and needs occasional de-lousing, which he accomplishes in a most ingenious manner—how he puts hounds off the scent and how he carries on his courtship. To make the picture even clearer the broadcast will be illustrated by some excellent recordings of the fox at various times of the year, made by that most patient and skilful recorder, Ludwig Koch.

Sunday, November 7

EASTERN SERVICE

P.M.

10.30 RADIO DRAMA — Clifford Evans, Fay Compton, Bernard Miles in 'ANTONY AND CLEOPATRA' Part 2 by William Shakespeare.

B.B.C. Highlights

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M.

9.15 RING UP THE CURTAIN—BBC Theatre Orchestra and Chorus, conductor, Walter Goehr; Carmen del Rio (mezzo-soprano). In more Ballets from the Operas.

10.15 BRITISH LEGION—FESTIVAL OF REMEMBRANCE Recordings made at the Royal Albert Hall, London. Commentator, Richard Dimbleby.

P.M.

12.30 BRITISH CONCERT HALL—BBC Northern Orchestra Conducted and presented by Charles Groves. Robert Marsden (Narrator) Ballet 'Checkmate'.....Arthur Bliss.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN.

1.45 LISTENERS' CHOICE.

2.15 TIME FOR WORSHIP—from a London Studio, conducted by the Rev. Eric Fenn.

2.45 FOOTBALL RESULTS.

4.15 GENERALLY SPEAKING—'In My Experience' No. 1: the Rt. Hon. the Viscount Samuel.

6.20 REMEMBRANCE DAY—A talk by Admiral Sir Martin Dunbar-Nasmith.

6.25 REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE—at The Cenotaph, Whitehall, London. Wynford Vaughan Thomas sets the scene.

8.15 'ITMA'

8.45 LIFE IN BRITAIN.

9.15 MELODY TIME—Gerald and his Concert Orchestra.

10.15 BBC SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Sir Adrian Boult George Baker (Narrator) Overture: Portsmouth Point Walton Symphony No. 99 in E flat .. Haydn Recit. with Orchestra: Peter and the Wolf Prokofiev

Monday, November 8

EASTERN SERVICE

P.M.

10.30 FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME—'Human Relations—The Backbone of Health,' by Professor William Line.

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

P.M.

12.30 GILBERT AND SULLIVAN—The Story of a Great Partnership A radio biography. Script and research by Leslie Bailey Part 6: 'The Yeomen of the Guard,' 'The Gondoliers,' and Good-bye BBC Theatre Orchestra and Chorus.

1.30 MUSIC FOR DANCING—Victor Silvester and his Ballroom Orchestra.

4.15 'DEATH IN THREE BRAINS'—A play by Derek Browne.

5.00 CELEBRITY RECITAL—Segovia (guitar).

6.15 ORCHESTRAS OF THE WORLD—Halle Orchestra (gramophone records).

8.15 MUSIC OF THE REGIMENTS Band of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry Conductor: Mr. J. R. Hands.

8.45 BRITISH INDUSTRY — 'From Drawing Board to Production Line,' a talk by William Holt.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL

10.15 Eric Barker in 'WATERLOGGED SPA.'

Tuesday, November 9

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M.

9.15 LET'S MAKE MUSIC—featuring Lew Stone and his Orchestra, with Terry Devon and 'The Mornstones.'

10.00 GENERALLY SPEAKING—A talk from the BBC Home Services.

10.15 TIP-TOP TUNES—Gerald and his Orchestra.

P.M.

12.30 VARIETY BANDBOX—Derek Roy, Janet Hamilton-Smith and John Hargreaves, Payne and Hill-yard. Four Rhythm Kings, Arthur Young, Max Bygraves, and Les Crossley and his Harmonica Rascals.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN.

4.30 LONDON FORUM.

5.00 BBC SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA—Conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham Symphony No. 2 in D....Beethoven 5.30 FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME—'Human Relations—The Backbone of Health,' by Professor William Line.

6.15 ANNE SHELTON—In introducing Anne Again.

8.15 Ethel Revnell in—DOWN OUR STREET.

8.45 BRITISH FARMER—'Poultry in Britain,' by Alan Thomson.

9.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL

Wednesday, November 10

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M.

11.45 STAR VARIETY—Carroll Gibbons and Sam Browne.

P.M.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN.

1.45 LISTENERS' CHOICE.

5.00 FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME A Serenade Sylvia Fisher (soprano), Rene Soames (tenor), David Wise (violin), George Malcolm (harpsichord), London Chamber Orchestra and Singers, conductor, Anthony Bernard.

Overture Lennox Berkeley The Lark Ascending.....

.....Vaughan Williams Suite: King Arthur, for soloists, chorus, and orchestra Purcell and Handel's Suite No. 4 in E minor, for harpsichord, played by Lucille Wallace.

6.15 SANDY MACPHERSON—AT THE THEATRE ORGAN.

7.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA.

8.30 VARIETY CALLS THE TUNE—BBC VARIETY Orchestra, conductor, Rae Jenkins, with Jan Muzurus.

9.15 'DEATH IN THREE BRAINS'—A play by Derek Browne.

Thursday, November 11

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M.

9.30 BBC SCOTTISH ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Ian Whyte Symphony No. 8 in E.....Beethoven

11.15 MARK LUBBOCK—and his Orchestra.

P.M.

1.00 STRADIVARI ORCHESTRA.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN.

1.45 AS THE COMMENTATOR — SAW IT International Soccer: England v. Wales.

3.15 BBC SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Conductor: Sir Adrian Boult Paul Beard (violin) Overture: Coriolan..... Beethoven Concerto for violin and orchestra from Serenade No. 7 in D (Haffner)..... Mozart

3.45 LIFE IN BRITAIN.

5.00 WINDOW ON ITALY—Narrated by Edward Ward. Written and produced by Marjorie Eanks.

7.15 STAR VARIETY—Bruce Trent and Billy Mayerl.

7.30 BBC WELSH ORCHESTRA — Conducted by Arwel Hughes.

9.30 TIP-TOP TUNES.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL.

10.15 BRITISH CONCERT HALL—Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra Conducted and presented by Sir Malcolm Sargent Symphony No. 100 in G (The Military)..... Haydn Nursery Suite Elgar Capriccio Espagnol..... Rimsky-Korsakov

Friday, November 12

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M.

11.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA.

P.M.

12.30 LISTENERS' CHOICE.

1.00 'ITMA'.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN.

3.15 'MUCH - BINDING - IN - THE - MARSH'.

4.30 IN BRITAIN NOW—A National Magazine.

5.00 THE NATURALIST — 'Foxes' Brian Vesey-FitzGerald introduces Sheila Young and Charles Castle.

6.15 BOOKS TO READ.

8.15 JAZZ CLUB.

8.45 LOOKING AT BRITAIN.

9.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

Keep this page for use during the week.

9.15 CONCERTO—Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 4 in G played by Cyril Preedy (piano) and the BBC Northern Orchestra, conductor, Charles Groves. Preceded by Julius Harrison's: A Troubadour Suite for strings, horn, and harp.

Saturday, November 13

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M.

10.15 'MUCH - BINDING - IN - THE - MARSH'.

10.45 MAINLY FOR WOMEN.

P.M.

12.30 'THE WATERLOGGED SPA'.

1.00 BBC NORTHERN ORCHESTRA—Conductor: Charles Groves.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN.

4.00 'GREAT EXPECTATIONS'—by Charles Dickens, Dramatised as a serial by Mabel Constanduros and Howard Agg. 2: 'One Memorable Day.' Music by Walter Goehr played by the Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by the composer.

7.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

7.15 GERALDINE AND MARY PEP-PIN—at two pianos.

9.15 FOCUS ON BOXING—Written by Walter Rault. Including a special interview with Bruce Woodcock.

9.45 ORCHESTRAS OF THE WORLD—Halle Orchestra (gramophone records).

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL.

10.15 MUSIC FOR DANCING—Victor Silvester and his Ballroom Orchestra.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ANSWERS

- 1 Rainer Maria Rilke.
- 2 Thomas Mann
- 3 Paul Valery in his 'Introduction to the Method of Leonardo da Vinci.'
- 4 Rabindranath Tagore.
- 5 Norwegian

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SUNDAY HERALD MAGAZINE SECTION

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1948.

DE GAULLE, MAN OF DESTINY?

Torn with dissension, the people of France are turning to General de Gaulle as the one man who can save the country from Communists and chaos.

Many who support his French People's Rally do not like him, and seldom has such a national figure aroused such bitter controversy.

De Gaulle does not easily arouse affection. He is tall, austere, self-opinionated. He quarrels with nearly all associates, yet those who know him best have a fanatical love of this man, who may be called to lead his country back to stability.

Yet with all his defects, and they are many, his integrity and downright honesty shine a searchlight in the dark corners of political intrigue.

His most bitter enemies cannot find a breath of scandal to sully his reputation.

He dislikes ostentation, has refused the Presidency of the French Republic, refused honours and promotion in rank, detests publicity, and lives in a small brick and plaster house in the small village of Colombes-Deux-Eglises about 150 miles from Paris.

De Gaulle could have been Dictator of France after the war. His enemies still say that is his aim.

When he arrived in France, his name was honoured throughout the country. He refused to take advantage of his popularity and fought long and unsuccessfully to amend the French Constitution so that there could be a strong democratic Assembly freed from the tyranny of the small parties which had ruined Governments in pre-war days.

He Failed

Instead of these little groups as unstable as quicksilver, coalescing one moment to gain personal political advantage, and dispersing the next to bring down a party which might be too powerful, De Gaulle hoped to have an effective Government, democratically elected, but not authoritarian.

He failed because the parties of the Left whittled away his proposals until as we have seen in the past few years, government degenerated into a farce.

De Gaulle retired to his little village

Austere, Quarrelsome, Loved And Hated He May Yet Save France

By John d'Arcy-Dawson, Author Of "European Victory"

and awaited patiently the inevitable chaos which resulted.

I have said that De Gaulle is cold and austere, but he can be charming and amiable.

When he landed in France a fortnight after "D" Day he drove in a jeep to Bayeux. He was without escort; only two of his lieutenants accompanied him.

Dismounting from the jeep he walked slowly up the long main street. At first nobody recognised him. Then, with shouts of "De Gaulle, De Gaulle," shopkeepers and shoppers rushed after him until, at the end, he was followed by a madly cheering crowd. His unostentatious entry impressed everyone.

Later, on the liberation of Paris, I saw him on that hot August afternoon when he went to the Cathedral of Notre Dame to give thanks. As his car drew up to the Cathedral steps there was a burst of machine-gun and rifle fire.

His companions tried to shield him, but De Gaulle shook them off, and drawing himself up so that his tall, rather gaunt body showed clearly above the crowd he removed his kepi and walked slowly into the church.

He left the Cathedral to the sound of singing bullets from snipers, but again disdaining safety got into his car and was driven off slowly through the enormous cheering crowd.

Great Courage

De Gaulle has great courage, as he demonstrated during the first World War when, after being wounded at Verdun, he was taken prisoner. Five times he escaped, but his tall figure was too difficult to conceal, and he was recaptured.

After the war De Gaulle became convinced that mobility was the secret of

of the new warfare. He tried to interest the General Staff, who laughed at his ideas.

On one occasion he was in command of the Blue Army at manoeuvres, and by completely unorthodox tactics he won a smashing victory. He was never forgiven for his success.

He wrote a text book on armour, which was derided by Petain's General Staff, but was closely studied by General Guderian, who put De Gaulle's theories into practice when he drove his tanks deeply into the Ukraine when Germany went to war against Russia.

He came to London just before the end and went back to try to save France.

He arrived when Reynaud had given up his Government and Petain had accepted Hitler's armistice terms.

With the assistance of Brig-General Spears he was flown back to London, arriving with nothing but his uniform. From the moment when he went to the air and exhorted his compatriots in France to fight on, he became the driving force behind the Resistance movement, and the rallying point for all French patriots.

He quarrelled violently with Churchill, and it is reported that once Churchill left a meeting red with

rage, exclaiming vehemently: "The greatest cross I have to bear is the Cross of Lorraine" (the symbol of the Resistance movement).

In spite of their disagreements Churchill supported de Gaulle to the end.

General de Gaulle has the inflexible purpose of France's well-being at heart, and despite rebuffs, anger and abuse, he goes on quietly building up his new party.

Violent Quarrel

He has emphasised again and again that France has no need of dictators and would never tolerate one, but she does need a Constitution, which will allow government to be carried on without being at the caprice of small parties.

The Communists do not like him, and many people who would not ordinarily join his party have done so because they believe he is the only man who stands between Communism and sane government.

I have drawn perhaps a rather severe picture of the man, but like most Frenchmen de Gaulle relaxes during his leisure time. He has a constant flow of visitors from Paris to lunch or dine with him.

He relaxes, then, enjoys his glass of wine, takes his coffee and cognac, and for once smokes a cigar instead of chain-smoking cigarettes.

He is a strange man, but if he comes to power and can realise that a little flexibility is necessary in dealing with one's fellow men then I think he may pull France out of the morass.

If does he will probably be detested by those who support him, but passionately though the French oppose restriction I believe they are wise enough to realise that only undivided strength can pull them through.

QUICK LOOKS

American Themes, by D. W. Brogan. (Hamish Hamilton, 12s. 6d.)

Collected articles on American politics and personalities. Scrappier than Brogan at his best—for example, in "The Development of Modern France"—but none the less worth reading.

In the Steps of the Brontes, by Ernest Raymond. (Rich and Cowan, 12s. 6d.)

Just a hundred years have passed since the death of Emily Brontë, the most remarkable member of one of the most extraordinary families whose careers remain on record. Ernest Raymond retraces their left-stories and—a much more important service—gives a detailed and affectionate picture of their local Yorkshire background, supplemented by a large number of extremely interesting photographs, illustrations of the places and buildings

from which Emily and her sisters quarried the raw material of literature.

The Pearl, by John Steinbeck. (Heinemann, 6s.)

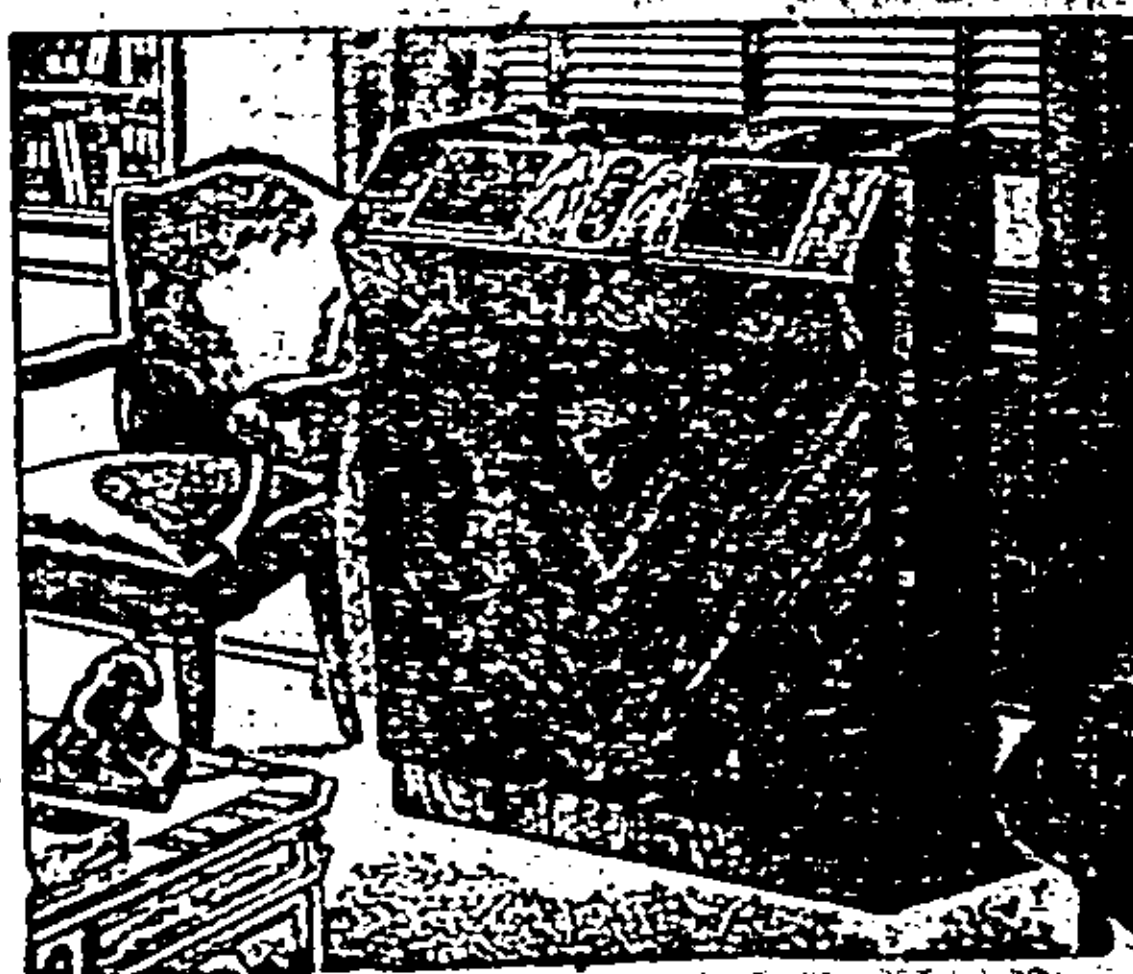
Sentimental parable by a novelist who, with "The Grapes of Wrath" and "Of Mice and Men" to his credit, really should know better. Kino, the simple Mexican fisherman, draws up a pearl but the possession of this magnificent object doesn't make for peace of spirit. In the end he trots down to the seashore and quietly throws it back again.

Goya in the Democratic Tradition, by F. D. Klingender. (Sidgwick and Jackson, £2 2s.)

Splendid series of reproductions of the work of a great Spanish artist, accompanied by a not very convincing attempt to fit Goya out with a conventional Left Wing halo.

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NEWS QUIZ

1. What was the name of the Dixiecrat candidate in the American presidential election?
2. Can you remember how many popular votes President Truman polled?
3. What was the name of the Russian ship which collided with the Eumaeus this week?
4. HMS Cossack rescued 1260 personnel from a Chinese troopship. Where did the Yinglung go ashore?
5. Emily Hahn Boxer came into the news again. How?
6. Who is the chairman of the committee which opened its enquiry into the Wing On godown fire?
7. Only two Chinese generals in Manchuria are believed to have escaped the Communist coup. Who were they?
8. An 11-year-old scout, David Western, received a decoration at a Buckingham Palace investiture. What was his award?

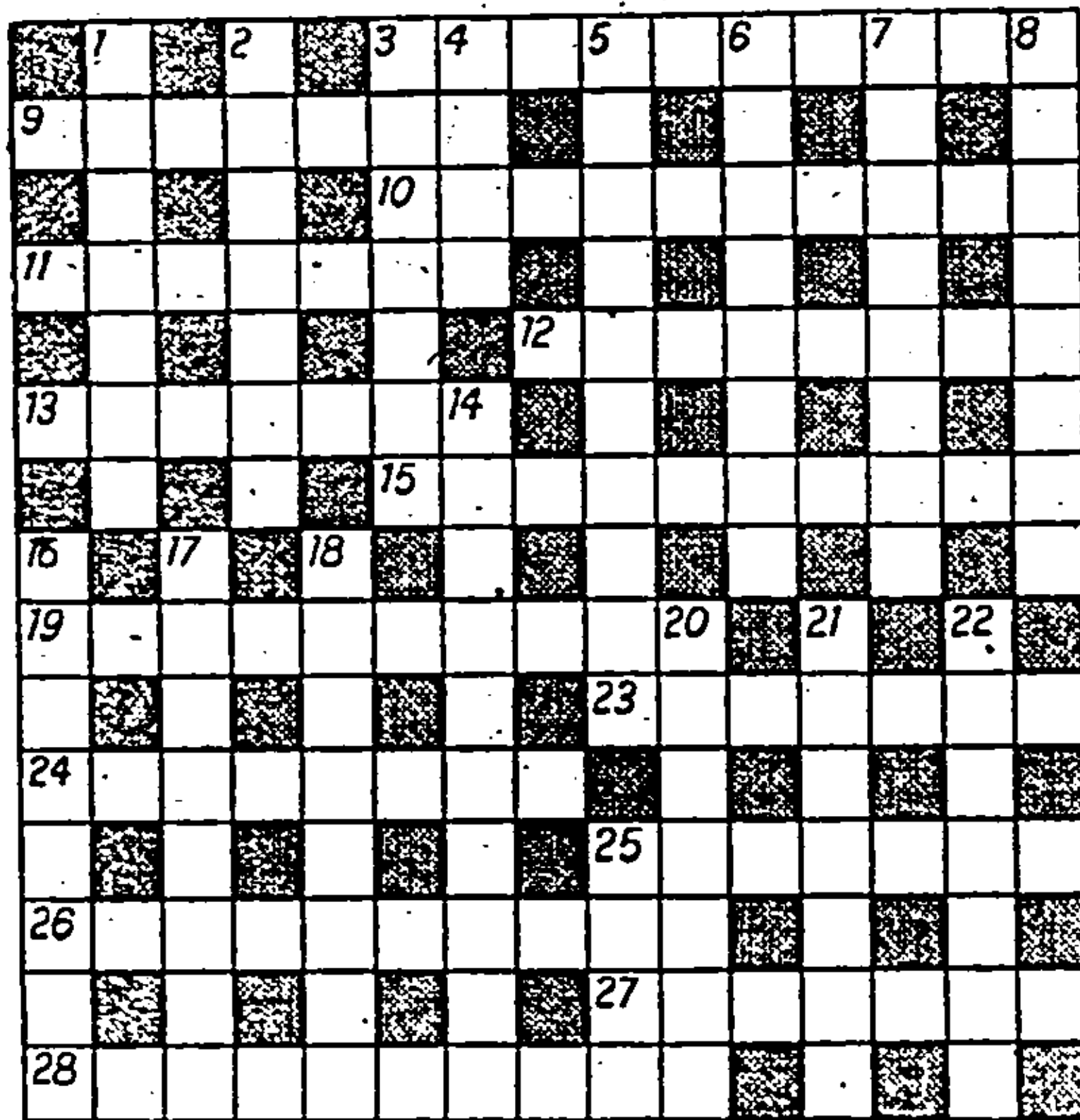
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GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

1. Her smile was not meant to be seen by any one and served its whole purpose in being smiled. A phrase from "The Journal of My Other Self" by who?
2. What perplexes the world is the disparity between the swiftness of the spirit and the immense unwieldiness, sluggishness, inertia, permanences of matter. The author?
3. Who wrote: "The folly of mistaking a paradox for a discovery; a metaphor for proof; a torrent of verbiage for a spring of capital truths and oneself as an oracle. is inborn in us."
4. "When I bring you coloured toys, my child, I understand why there is a play of colours on clouds, on water, and why the flowers are painted in tints." From "The Crescent Moon." But who wrote it?
5. "You should never wear your best trousers when you go out to fight for freedom and truth," according to Henrik Ibsen. What was his nationality?

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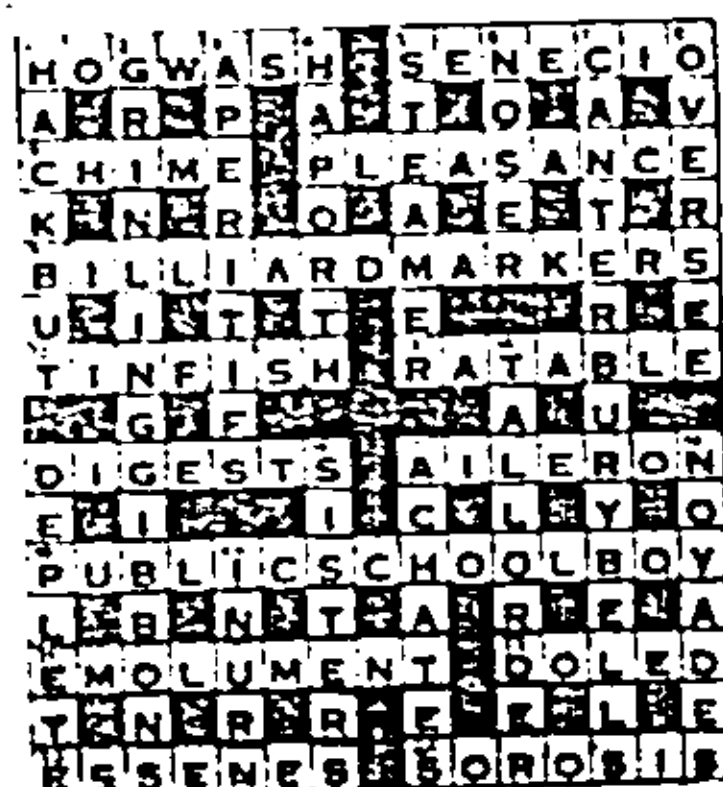
3. 9 But with all her resources she can't order a permanent wave. (8, 2, 3, 4)
- 10 Comic poet on a mount? (6, 4)
- 11 Not what the nigger minstrels mean by corner men. (7)
- 12 Urban community centre. (8)
- 13 Do or entangle. (7)
- 15 Braggarts are their own. (10)
- 19 Business dealings, seems, are here not straight. (3, 5)

- 23 She bore the Hammer of the Scots. (7)
- 24 They meet, "as the whiting said." (8)
- 25 Not the vision of the introvert. (7)
- 26 It's laid down in a sentence. (10)
- 27 "Against ill — men are ever merry" — King Henry IV. (7)
- 28 There are dire scenes in them. (10)

DOWN

- 1 Its bells sound "on the pleasant waters of the River Lee." (7)
- 2 Tree gods in stores. (7)
- 3 Easy author; Simple also. (7)
- 4 Goddess of those who lead a double life? (4)
- 5 A model tiara should certainly be fitting. (10)
- 6 The man to contrive. (8)
- 7 These islands would make a black suit without alternative. (8)
- 8 Feels said, but not losing colour. (6)
- 14 Troops sent by rail? (7, 3)
- 16 A pet term to soothe. (8)
- 17 Hurried proceedings on the South Coast. (8)
- 18 Put into poetry again. (8)
- 20 The results of their work, no doubt, are estimated by the yard. (7)
- 21 A man in all his bravery. (7)
- 22 A less than kind heart. (7)
- 25 22, perhaps, without rot. (4)

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Sir.—While convalescing in a fashionable English hydro last week I took my bottle of medicine into the dining-room and left it on my table. When I received my bill I found that I had been charged 25s. corkage.

I pointed out to the manager that I had never been charged corkage on a bottle of medicine before, and he seemed to be quite pleased. "I am proud to learn that I am a pioneer," he said affably, and went off to his private suite looking highly gratified.

After that there seemed nothing for me to do except to pay the charge, but I still think it was not quite justified.

Faithfully yours,
T. MAKEPIECE PRINGLE.
The Bathchair Club, W.I.

Hotel guest in painful scene

Sir.—Two days ago I joined what I thought was a long line of would-be guests who were patiently queuing up under direction of a stern person in uniform, whom I supposed to be a commissionaire, to engage rooms in what I believed to be a West-country luxury hotel.

When I gave my name to the receptionist he roughly ordered me to get my hair cut and told me that I should be fogged in the morning. Before I could protest an equally snuff man, whom I took to be a porter, led me up some iron stairs and showed me into one of the smallest hotel bedrooms I have ever seen in my life.

Imagine my horror in the morning when I discovered that I was the victim of a ghastly mistake. I had not spent the night in an English luxury hotel, as I had fondly imagined. I was in Exmoor Prison.

Faithfully yours,
J. WILFRED WATERSPOON.
Messrs. Fumbit and Vole,
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A man's work is never done

Now that the evenings are turning chilly the thoughtful man will try to please his womenfolk by making preparations to light the first fire of Winter (writes Domesticated George, pushing open the door with his knee and scratching off a neat strip of paint with the coal scuttle).

It is a noteworthy fact that some old newspapers burn better than others (mutter Domesticated George, picking one at random from a large pile and becoming absorbed in the selections for the Races).

Beware of the picture paper; and the glossy weeklies, because they smoulder abominably! (warns Domesticated George, curling up on the floor with a ladies fashion journal and staring aghast at a novel design for a pantie-girdle).

Show me the man who said there is no smoke without fire and I'll show you a low-browed, shambling cretin! (shouts Domesticated George, putting his face close to the bars and blowing furiously on three damp sticks). When I am dead, my dearest. Sing no sad songs for me!

So saying, Domesticated George hastily wiped his hands on his head and sped bare-footed in the direction of the cooking sherry, leaving behind him what was later described as "the mark of the bear."



In the bidding of many slam hands cards sense is more important than convention.

S A 7
H 10 3
D K 10 8 6 3 2
C A K J
S 10 2
H Q 9 8 5
D A 9 5
C 8 6 4 3
N
W E
S
S 5 4
H K 6 4
D Q 7 4
C Q 10 7 5 2
S K Q J 9 8 6 3
H A J 7 2
D J
C 9

North, the dealer, opened with One Diamond on his seven winners—four high cards and three "long" cards. South had the necessary winners but not the two first-round controls for a jump take-out of Two Spades. He, therefore, made a maximum take-out of Four Spades. North then bid Four No-trumps (Blackwood) and South Six Spades, avoiding the Blackwood response.

His partner's bidding had promised at least five winners, including two Aces, without which he could not invite a slam bid. The use of the Blackwood was not then necessary here. Five Spades would have suited just as well. At the various tables where this hand was played West had different views on his lead. The opening lead after the above bidding was the Five of Hearts, after which the play for 12 tricks was easy.

The lead of a Club at some other tables made the play more difficult. What should South throw on the second round of Clubs? Must he keep the Jack of Diamonds for a lead? Then, again, if West ducks the Diamond lead, must the declarer play the King and then take the strange finesse later against the Ten of Spades to develop an extra entry card in dummy, without which he cannot establish his long Diamonds?



NESCAFÉ



NORTH CHINA BATTLE

Command Given To Fu Tso-Yi

AN UNPRECEDENTED MOVE

Peiping, November 6.

A spokesman of General Fu Tso-yi's headquarters today forecast victory for the Nationalists if North China becomes a battleground, but admitted the situation is serious.

The statement followed news that President Chiang Kai-shek, in an unprecedented move, has given General Fu full powers to direct operations in North China without referring to the Generalissimo.

General Fu was given carte blanche to conduct North China strategy after a dusk to midnight meeting with the Generalissimo.

The unprecedented move confirmed the belief in some high Government circles that the

The Orient 'Awakened'

Fort Bragg, November 6. The Orient is awakened, Lieutenant John R. Hodge said today.

"The old feudal and war lord system is going down," the former US commander in Korea said at his first news conference after assuming command of Fort Bragg. He continued:

"A revolution of social ideas is taking place in Korea, China and Japan. The Communists are trying to exploit that awakening to their own advantage. I have bright hopes for a good democratic future in Korea."

The greatest handicap of the Koreans is that they were under Japanese rule for 40 years. The Koreans are naturally anti-Japanese, but under Japanese rule they could not gain experience in self-government. It is a task of American forces there, he added, to give them training in that field. Associated Press.

SICK MARSHAL GOES FREE

Frankfurt, November 5. Field Marshal Maximilian Von Weichs, 63-year-old former German Commander-in-Chief in the Balkans, has been released from American custody because of failing health, the United States Army paper, Stars and Stripes, reported today.

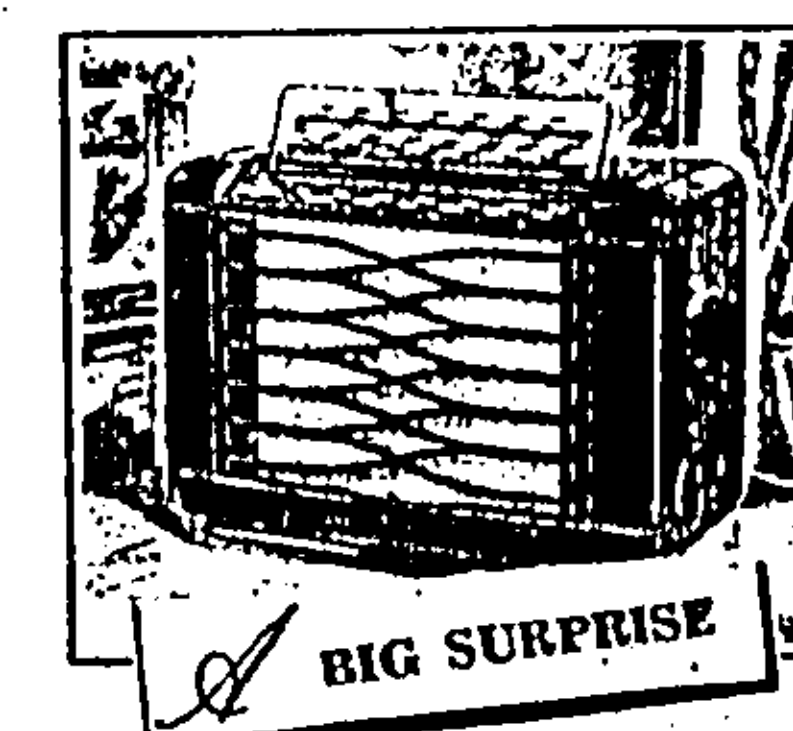
Von Weichs was one of the group of 12 "South Eastern" generals headed by Field Marshal List whose trial by an American military court ended in February with eight long jail sentences and two acquittals. One defendant committed suicide while on trial and the twelfth, Von Weichs, had his trial suspended on health grounds.

Changes of spoliation, execution of hostages and the use of slave labour in occupied lands remain against him. He will leave the prison hospital at Nuremberg for the University hospital at Erlangen, Reuters.

NEW CHAIR FOR EDINBURGH?

Edinburgh, November 6. The Lord Provost of Edinburgh told the principals of five Scandinavian universities, guests at a civic luncheon here yesterday, that he thought it highly desirable that Edinburgh University should set up a chair of Scandinavian languages.

The Lord Provost—equivalent of Lord Mayor—added that a reciprocal chair should be established in Scandinavia. Associated Press.



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Leopold Will Not Abdicate

Brussels, November 5. Exiled King Leopold has told Belgian political leaders that he will never abdicate if the present deadlock about his position continues, usually reliable sources in Brussels said today.

The Belgian Socialists, Communists and Liberals oppose the King's return, and the Social Christians, and Catholics declare the only solution is his return.

The King has declared that the only solution would be a national referendum and if the referendum did not show a clear majority for his return, he would agree to abdicate. —Reuters.

United States Arms French Divisions

Frankfurt, November 6.

The United States has secretly revitalised three French divisions with new military equipment to help boost Western Europe's armed strength.

The US armed forces have "loaned" US\$5,000,000 worth of such equipment to the French.

This move was disclosed as Washington dispatches stated that President Harry Truman's foreign policy will be dominated by the issue of how much the United States will give to bolster Western Europe's defence.

It came too, on the heels of fresh reports that the Russians

are building up a tank-equipped German army in their occupation zone.

The US Army in Germany has turned over equipment from reserve stocks, and other equipment was ordered from the United States. The supplies include new tank motors, radios and all other materials necessary to put three divisions on a war footing.

Practical Step

Official French and US Army sources declined to confirm the account.

The "loan" serves several purposes. It increases Western Allied strength in Germany and Western Europe. It is a practical step of US military support to Western Europe while discussions of a military alliance take place.

According to military experts in Washington, the Western European countries want lend lease arms aid of at least US\$2,000,000,000 a year, crowned by a military alliance with the United States.

British, American and French officials say their troops in Western Germany are overwhelmingly outnumbered by Red Army forces. East of the Elbe, the Soviets are reported to have two armies in Germany and an army-modelled German police force, compared to the few divisions of the Western Allies. Associated Press.

Europeans To Eat Well This Winter

Washington, November 5.

The Economic Co-operation Administration Food Director, Mr. Dennis Fitzgerald, said today that Europeans may have as much to eat this winter as they did before the war.

Mr. Fitzgerald, who has just returned from a European survey, said that the food situation in Europe is "generally very much better than a year ago" except in Portugal where bad weather hindered crops.

He estimated that the grain harvest is 45 per cent above last year's. The potato crop is over the pre-war level, but livestock production remains about 70 per cent of the pre-war figure largely because time is necessary to breed new animals. However, he described the British, Netherlands and Danish hog production prospects as extremely good and predicted an increase of 20 per cent during the coming year.

AIR COLLISION INQUEST ENDS

London, November 6.

A verdict of accidental death was reached yesterday at an inquest into the crash between two aircraft operated by the Royal Air Force and the Scandinavian Air Lines which killed 39 persons last July 4.

The planes were a York carrying Sir Edward Gent, High Commissioner for Malaya on a trip home, and a Scandinavian Globemaster. They smashed together over Northwood, Middlesex.

The Coroner, H. G. Broadbridge, expressed appreciation of help given by Swedish authorities during the investigation. He said they sent over a commission of experts to help determine the cause of the accident and a number of dentists to help identify the Swedish bodies. —Associated Press.

Egyptians Retire From The Coast

Tel Aviv, November 5.

An Israeli military spokesman announced officially today that Egyptian troops have withdrawn from the Majdal coastal pocket to Gaza.

The Egyptian withdrawal was made under cover of heavy Egyptian artillery fire. This was the last of the coastal pockets created by last month's Negev battle. The Egyptians pulled out along the beach and were not fired upon by Israeli forces although the waterfront is under the muzzles of Jewish guns, the spokesman said.

He announced that Israel troops followed up the withdrawal by moving into the whole Majdal area this morning. It is in the coastal strip of Southern Palestine which the partition gave to the Arabs.

The move-in put Israeli forces in a half arc around and within four miles of Gaza itself.

The spokesman said that at 10.30 local time, the Jewish blue and white flag was raised over the little Jewish settlement of Yot Mordechai, midway between Gaza and Majdal.

The settlement, named after the commander of the Warsaw Ghetto uprising, was the first Jewish settlement to be occupied by the Egyptians when they entered Southern Palestine. —Associated Press.

recent military reverses have persuaded the Generalissimo to relax his personal control of national affairs. The change in the Generalissimo's attitude in that respect was noted following his return from Peiping last week.

Quarters who contacted President Chiang said he has lately shown a hitherto unseen inclination to release to his subordinates many of the powers which he had kept to himself but which actually belonged to his subordinates.

This is expected to result in greater freedom of decision for Government officials and Army commanders.

Appeal For Peace

Chinese intellectuals tonight appealed directly to President Chiang and to the Communist leader, Mao Tse-tung, to stop the civil war by negotiating a peaceful settlement and the formation of a Coalition Government.

The appeal was issued by 100 professors in Nanking, who demanded the immediate cessation of the civil war, which they claimed was being waged against the popular wishes of the people.

"It is now time to deliver the suffering people of China from the hell fire and deep waters they are in," they said.

The appeal urged the immediate resumption of negotiations for the formation of a multi-party Coalition Government including all democratic sections in the country.

One Party Impossible

To President Chiang they declared that the trend of world events "no longer permits the possibility of perpetuating a one-party Government with the use of force."

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Nanking Menaced?

Meanwhile the Chinese Government today appealed to President Truman for more American aid, as Communist armies massed North and South of Nanking for a pincer offensive against the Nationalist capital.

North of Nanking, 200,000 Communist troops are converging on Hsuehchow and the railway linking the North Jiangsu City with Nanking. A major Red offensive against the Hsuehchow-Nanking corridor was expected to begin within two weeks.

To the South, Communist forces hidden in the mountains 40 miles from Nanking were also reported to be active and gathering strength.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek is concentrating his best units of 18 armies totalling 500,000 along the Hsuehchow-Nanking corridor. The corridor forms the North arm of the military nerve centre. —United Press, Associated Press & Reuters.

American Eyes On China Situation

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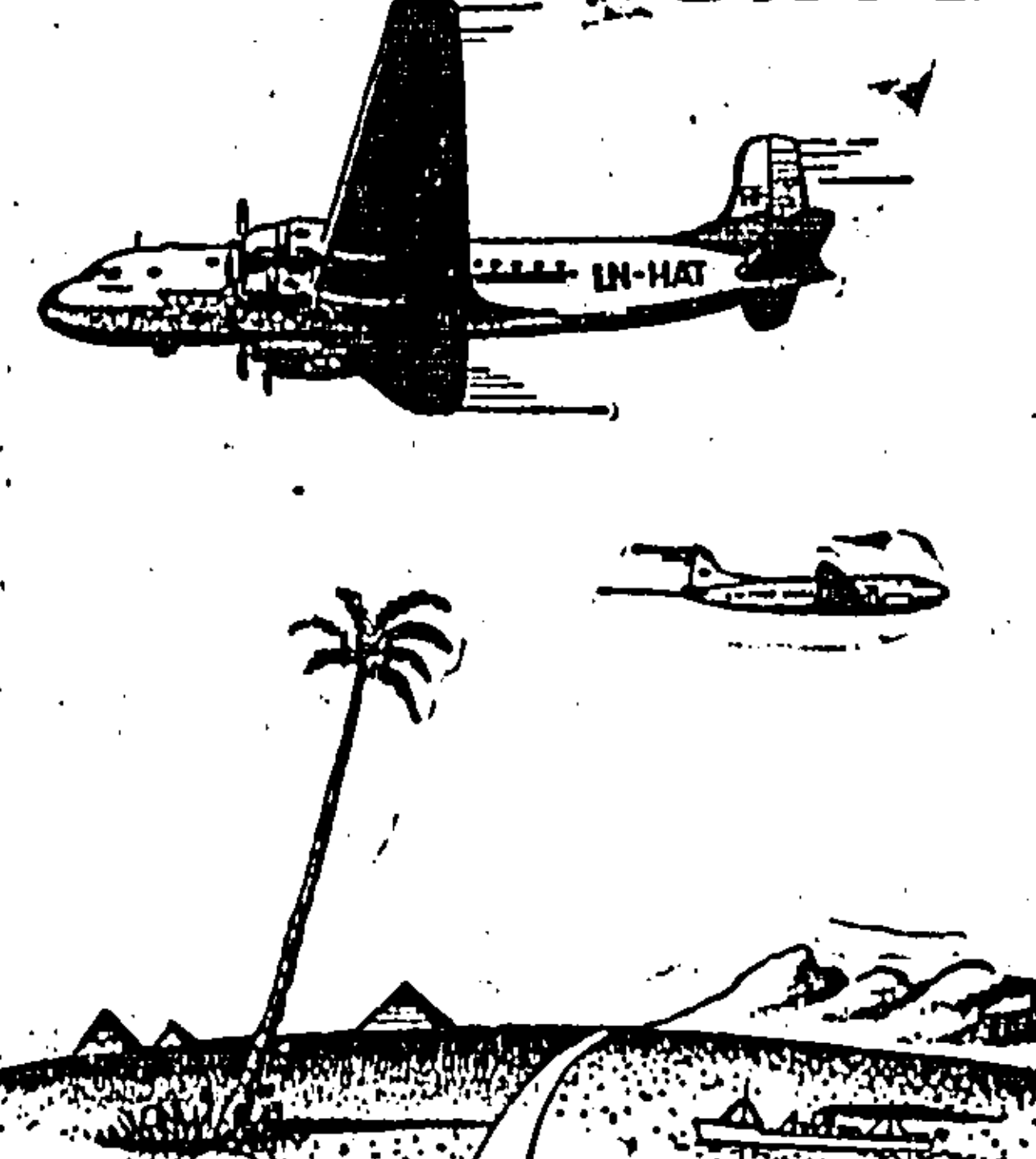
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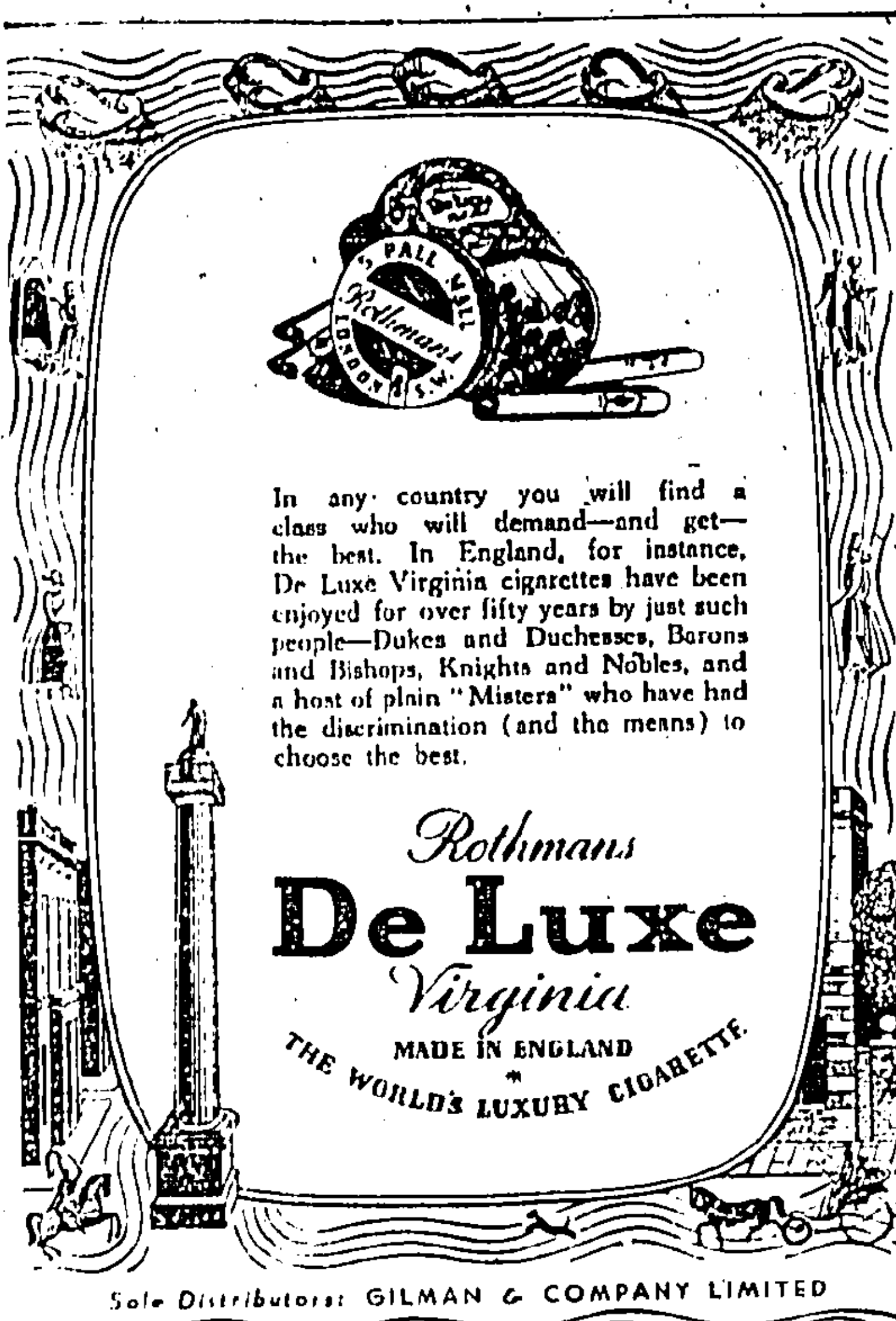
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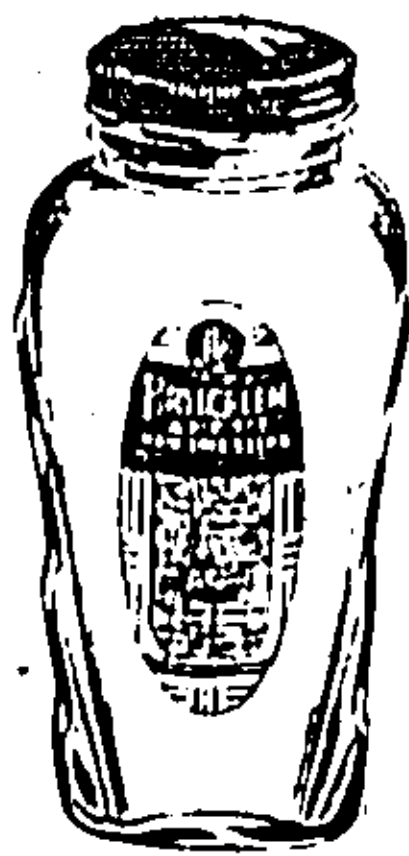
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Japan has seen many changes since the war ended, and life there is very different from what it was. But here are some thumb-nail sketches which show it is.

STILL A LAND OF TOPSY-TURVY

The new Petty Crimes Law brought Kikuzo Tanaka, a Gifu beggar, into court for begging in the street.

A small fine was imposed. Described as "a man of spirit," Tanaka-san paid his fine with a flourish, and observed to the judge:

"Honourable sir, you and this new democratic law are indeed strong and deserving of my respect. I have been beggar for ten years, but this is the first time that anyone has got money out of me."

The judge, amused, refunded Tanaka-san half his fine.

Japanese barbers refuse to accept the ruling of the Labour Standards Bureau that they should observe every Sunday as a weekly holiday instead of the additional practice of closing their shops on the 7th and 27th of each month.

The barbers argue that everybody knows that seven is the luckiest number of the barbers, and point out that the time-honoured selection of dates which include seven as days of rest has been faithfully observed for 300 years.

If this tradition were broken, they fear that bad luck would follow and many patrons would unfortunately be cut or sliced while being shaved.

On the same day that the Mikawa Chemical Company in Nagoya insured its factory, a huge benzene tank exploded, killing 12 men and completely destroying the works.

The company applied for its million-yen insurance, but the insurance agents refused to pay, explaining that most regretfully the policy had not reached their office before the explosion.

Investigation disclosed that, under a new bureaucratic decree, the policy had been sent for "official Governmental notation" to the Labour Control Board in the

morning but, because there had been a baseball match, the clerks in the Labour Office had pigeon-holed the policy until the next day and gone off "off" to the baseball park.

The Sakamoto Machine Company, in compliance with a Labour Office recommendation to encourage industrial goodwill, gave a banquet for its long-service employees to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the company.

Methyl alcohol was imprudently served to the guests as a result of which two employees died and 24 lost or partly lost their eyesight.

The company offered to pay employees who lost their sight a year's salary as compensation, but this has been indignantly rejected as inadequate.

A strike has been called—the first in the company's 20 years' experience. Bee-keepers are asking the Government to classify their honey-bees as "domestic animals."

Professor Kousuke Sogamoya, head of the Live Stock Bureau of the local Ministry of Agriculture, supports the request and has already drafted a suggested regulation.

The reason for the application is that, under a recent regulation, taxation officials can tax bees but not domestic animals.

Three thousand girls of marriageable age in Toyama prefecture complain that a new decree forbidding them to peddle needles and small goods will make it impossible for them to marry.

For generations it has been the custom in this prefecture for young girls to earn money in this manner to buy their trousseau and house-hold goods.

Government officials reply sternly that any exception would be undemocratic and undesirable.

"Follow The Red Leaders"

By JOHN HALL

For three days I have been visiting the towns and villages of France's "Northern Basin."

It is a 60-mile wilderness of pits and dumps, a monotonous land where normally 210,000 miners produced more than half France's coal, but now peopled by sullen strikers.

One incident stands out. It was at Sallaumines, and M. Marcel, a French Communist trade union leader, was furiously denouncing two Socialist Ministers in Dr. Henri Queuille's Socialist Government.

As he spoke many miners applauded. But M. Marcel had a rival.

Nearly one man in every four ignored the bitter words and concentrated his attention on kicking a football around the edge of the crowd. The game went on all through the speech. Those men paid no attention to what was being said.

So it is with this strike: a hard core of men believe in the strike, but many miners are just kicking around on the sidelines, obeying orders out of loyalty to their leaders and because they believe their wage claims are, in many cases, not unreasonable.

For the French miner is not as well off as his English brother. A married man with two children and 15 years' seniority draws a little more than £5 a week. Many draw less.

The Chosen Hour

Living costs in some parts of France have risen 40 per cent, in a year. A communist C.G.T., anxious to exploit a difficult situation, could have started the strike at any time in the past few months.

But the present strike was launched in the knowledge that trouble was bound to follow just at the time when the Marshall Plan negotiations and the steps towards a Western Union were getting going in Paris.

Efforts to negotiate on the part of the Government have failed with the same unvarying answer: "Our full demands or the strike goes on." Yet their demands which included a stipulation that wages should be tied to prices by a sliding scale, are such that the Government cannot grant them.

"A sliding scale," the Government argue, "would merely accelerate the deadly process of inflation which we are trying to hold in check."

Police Control

The C.G.T. have not shown any signs of co-operation. They have pointed a pistol at the Government's head, to yield to which would be virtually to abdicate.

This is probably what the French Communists want. They would then bring pressure to be represented again inside the Government, and they have already suggested that they should have the Ministry of the Interior, which controls the police.

What will happen next is up to the C.G.T. If they decide to give up the struggle for the moment, then the strike will end. On the wage side the Government are prepared to make concessions.

But if the strike goes on until the miners get desperate, or until French economy is really in

danger, then the situation might easily get out of hand in the north, as it shows signs of doing in the south. The French Communist Party are believed to be well armed, their stocks built up during the war. And as I sit writing in my hotel a convoy of trucks with soldiers is rumbling past.

For three nights long convoys like this have kept the inhabitants of such towns as Arras, Lens, Bethune, and Douai awake. As the troops have poured in and reports of violent incidents in the southern coal mines have reached the population in the north, the people have become more apprehensive.

With Orders To Fire

For many in this part of France it is the first time they have seen their own Army since the end of the war, and it has given them quite a shock to realise that France does, in fact, possess a number of well-equipped troops.

In battle dress, with white-banded gaiters, they are almost indistinguishable from British soldiers.

But this time they are not the soldiers of a friendly Ally, but Frenchmen who have been given orders, if attacked, to fire on their fellow citizens.

An "incident" here and the cold war might easily become a shooting one—and for France a shooting war in the north would be more serious than in the south.

ST. GEORGE AND THE HOME-MADE DRAGON

Steel for breakfast, steel for lunch, tea, and supper—that's the situation diet the politicians are preparing for the people. It used to be calories. Now it's ingots. Appetites may be stale on that subject before long. But with the opening of the great 14-month Steel Session in Parliament, Ministers hold their heads high: the Opposition present a mood of fierce and darkening challenge.

Problem Knight

To wage the gravest struggle of their career the Government have chosen a Minister who is not in the Cabinet—which may explain why this St. George has spent the past year trying to vulcanise a suitable Bill from the many submitted in his place. As Supply Minister he must pilot the Government's choice through the Commons. One can only guess that the Bill (whatsoever it is) doesn't go too far for him.

For Mr. Strauss is the Socialist's problem child, a "millionaire" metal merchant in the workers' party, a man with a conscience.

After going Left and urging cohesion of the "Popular Front" he went out into the pre-war wilderness with Cripps and Nye.

But even at the 1945 election Mr. Strauss was a problem. Party

hand-outs for adoring voters attributed to him, a "secondary school education." In fact, he went to Rugby School.

For this boss of a chain of 22 State (Ordinance) factories employing 50,000 people the steel battle will be long and tiring, but worth while.

"One of the great advantages of State factories," he has written, "is that the Government can make what they want where they want it."

Up to rearmament his factories were turning out civilian goods. Give him the steel-works and see what he can do!

The Guillotine

And in Parliament he will be helped by a little touch of procedural "Monsieur de Paris," the guillotine will be applied in Standing Committee for the first time.

So St. George will get some sleep. So will his two aides: John Horace Freeman, Westminster and Brisenose, aged 33, formerly at War Office and earlier on Desert Rats' Staff in North Africa; and steel smelter "Jack" Jones.

Mr. Jones is now 54. The finest speech he ever made in the Commons was last year, he then appealed for an "honest-to-God" week's work from the miners, saying if the steel-makers could do it surely the coal-getters could.

But now the Government claim that the present record-breaking steel output is not enough, that Britain will get more under State control. Does Mr. Jones agree?

The Opposition, who say the men are happy and efficient under private enterprise, have as their chief spokesman a great-nephew of Gladstone, the tall Grenadier Oliver Lyttelton (aged 55).

In war-time Mr. Lyttelton introduced clothes rationing, in peace-time, he part-designed the Industrial Charter.

As chairman of the Tory Party's trade and industry committee his job will be to prove that Strauss and not Steel is the real dragon. Because he, too, is an old metal merchant he should be able to do that pretty well.

From his performance he may reap the fruits of future promotion. He will warn any business men not yet convinced of its real nature that steel nationalisation is "the turn of the screw"—that once this industry is controlled Whitehall may automatically clamp down on all other private industries dependent on steel. One day he might say "I told you so."

The Real Knight?

But before this battle is over it may bring in Churchill, Eden, Oliver Stanley, Cripps, and Morrison, even Bevan and Dalton.

But the man whose words carry most weight on this issue is Sir Andrew Duncan (aged 64), the poor Scots boy who worked his way through Glasgow University to the £12,000-a-year chair of the British Iron and Steel Federation.

He is not a party man. Indeed, he may turn out to be the real St. George after all, especially if you think a Scottish accent is in character.

But St. George Strauss has might on his side—a majority to pass the Parliament Bill a third time in two years. And that all other things being equal will rubber-stamp the Steel Bill into law by 1950, even if the Lords reject it.

By GEOFFREY WAKEFORD

MIRACLES?—NOT YET

ROLAND HURMAN—Listens To The 21 Wise Men Of The Anglo-US Panel

THE nine Americans and 12 Britons who may change the industrial face of Britain lined up last night before the Press and warned: "Don't expect any spectacular immediate results from us."

These were the members of the Anglo-American productivity council—the Cripps-Hoffman industrial "blood transfusion" panel—reporting after their first day's meeting in London.

They said they had had "full, frank, and friendly" discussions. To us—the newspapermen—they were very friendly. But, of necessity, they were not quite as frank as some of Britain's factory workers might wish.

Britons Will Visit US

Points that emerged were: 1. British workmen, technicians, and planners are almost certain to visit America "in substantial numbers" on an exchange basis to learn each other's techniques. 2. The American council members are going to tour British industry—but they will not go down the mines—to see for themselves what goes on. This will NOT be an "investigation" nor an "inquest," Mr. Arthur Deskin, of the T.U.C., sharply pointed out there is no corpse.

3. Fleet questions yesterday centred around the age-old problems of Specialisation v. Standardisation, and Quality v. Quantity.

Meetings of the council will go on for a fortnight. Later they will probably be resumed in America. Declared approach of the U.S. members is one of "considerable humility without any preconceived notions."

'No Easy Job,' He Says

"It has not been an easy job so far... How much we shall be able to accomplish no one can tell... Don't expect miracles. We have not had in the peace years for quite that singleness of objective we had during the war."

When the questions were fired, the members deftly ducked the awkward snags. With justification they pointed out that their first day has been spent in procedure—spade-work—and they can't know yet what form their final recommendations will take.

Mr. Spencer Love, American textile chief who has just spent a couple of days in Lancashire, was asked: "What do you make of it up there?"

He gave a diplomatic answer which will not be news to Lancashire. "Given the same raw materials, machinery, incentives, and leadership, the British cotton industry could vie with any in the world."

Only Politics Barred

Mr. Lincoln Evans, British steelworkers' leader and T.U.C. representative, was asked: "What about restrictive practices?"

He answered: "If anybody can discover them, we shall raise no bar to discussion. In fact, the council will discuss anything—according to Sir Frederick Bain, president of the Federation of British Industries—anything except party politics."

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VICE-PRESIDENT SAYS:

AMERICA ANXIOUS TO GIVE HELP TO CHINA

Washington, November 5.

The Vice-President-elect, Mr. Alben Barkley, today declared that the United States was anxious to help China.

He added, however, that he could not estimate the amount of money which would be approved for that purpose.

Mr. Barkley made the statement at a news conference, in which he predicted that the 81st Congress would repeal the Taft-Hartley labour law and enact a broad anti-inflation programme.

Regarding China, Mr. Barkley said, "The American people and their leaders are anxious to help China become stable, both economically and politically. Any need of China and any requests made by them for our help will receive serious and favourable consideration."

He recalled that the Democratic platform included aid for China, but he declared to estimate its extent. While mentioning China in passing, Mr. Barkley devoted the bulk of his remarks to the Democratic legislative programme in the next Congress, over whose details he will preside in his capacity as Vice-President.

Price Control

He said the anti-inflation programme which he expected to be passed would include the rationing and price control powers recently sought by President Truman.

He was somewhat less positive about the civil rights programme but said he assumed the sweeping pledges in the Democratic platform would be carried out.

Senator Scott Lucas, leading candidate to succeed Mr. Barkley as Senate Democratic floor leader, meanwhile called upon all Democrats in Congress to aid his "constructive programme satisfactory to the people."

Both Senator Lucas and Mr. Barkley held out the olive branch to the dissident Southern Democrats, who bolted from the Party on the civil rights issue and backed the States Rights or "Laissez-faire" ticket headed by Governor J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina.

Not Return To New Deal

Mr. Barkley indicated that repeal of the Taft-Hartley law would not mean a complete return to the New Deal Wagner Act of

Hubby Had His Day At Last

Sourabaya, November 5.
A patient 67-year-old husband finally had his day here.

The police arrested his wife, 30.

The charge: mistreating the husband for five consecutive months. Police wouldn't say what "mistreatment" meant.—Associated Press.

Film Star Evades The Issue

Mexico City, November 6.
The film star, Rita Hayworth, yesterday answered the question of whether she would marry Prince Aly Khan of India while they are in Mexico by saying, "I am not divorced yet."

Miss Hayworth and the son of the wealthy Aga Khan arrived here four days ago.

Making an appearance at the Hotel Reforma for the Mexican press, Miss Hayworth said, "I do not know where the Prince is at the moment." She declined to discuss his whereabouts.

Their names have been linked automatically since they met last summer on the French Riviera. Aly Khan visited Miss Hayworth in Los Angeles for about a month before they flew to Mexico City.

The screen star's divorce from the actor-writer, Orson Welles, became final on November 12. Aly Khan is reported to be separated from his wife.—Associated Press.

public administration would not do so well by them.

Some voters feared that any change in government might be "misunderstood abroad"—United Press.

Back To Work In French Mines

Paris, November 5.

Increasing numbers of miners, following a stoppage of nearly five weeks, were returning to work today as troops cleared strikers' pickets from the last pitheads.

Railwaymen in many centres, including Marseilles, voted tonight for a 24-hour sympathy strike in support of the miners and dockers. They were taking part in a ballot organised by the Communist-led Railwaymen's Union.

Partial results of a nation-wide ballot among the railwaymen showed a small majority in favour of a 24-hour strike for more pay, but with non-Communist railwaymen boycotting the ballot, labour observers estimated here that at most not more than half the 480,000 rail employees would support a stoppage.

Already, railway workers at eight big centres are reported to have approved strike action. Steel and textile workers unions also appeared tonight to be contemplating short demonstrations. The General Confederation of Labour is considered by the authorities in Paris to have suffered a defeat in the coalfield, where about a third of the miners are back at work without the Government having conceded conditions which the Confederation had demanded.

Price Problem

At the same time, the problem of rising prices remains and the non-Communist trade union federations have made it clear that they cannot endorse the Government's view that wages should be frozen at existing levels.

Even the official retail price index, which is admittedly below the real cost of living, showed another rise and a half per cent increase at the end of October over the figure a month earlier.

Meanwhile, the Ministry of the Interior reports said today's pit attendances varied from 33 per cent in Provence, to 100 per cent in Lorraine, where 20,500 tons of coal were hewn yesterday, compared with the region's normal daily production of 160,000 tons.

Government forces had completed the taking over of the Hérault coalfield, Southern France, without resistance, occupying three mines and an electric power house.—Reuter

Heart Operations Surgery Problem

Los Angeles, November 6.

Surgery has only one major problem to solve before it can short-circuit the heart and perform complicated operations inside that vital organ. Dr. Clarence Carford, noted Swedish physician, reported this today.

Dr. Carford and a group of collaborators have developed a pump which can take the place of the heart. This was announced recently in London. It is designed to keep blood circulating through the brain while the surgeon drains the heart to get at the ailing valves and other parts which might be remedied by surgery.

With this pump, Dr. Carford said in a report for the American College of Surgeons, dogs can be kept alive for as long as an hour and a half even though their hearts have been drained of blood.

One dog underwent a 33-minute operation in which the heart was drained but not opened. This was done more than a year ago and the animal still is alive and healthy, Dr. Carford said.

All Died

However, all dogs whose hearts actually were opened and entered had died within one to ten hours afterwards. Most of them died to death from chest wounds made by the surgeon's knife. The bleeding was due to the necessary addition of a drug to prevent the blood from clotting while circulating through the pump.

This drug is heparin, a substance extracted from liver.

The researchers now are trying to get around this difficulty by reducing the dose of heparin and by covering the inner surfaces of the pump with silicone, a gummy element which will be less likely to chemically affect the blood. They are also experimenting with a drug to counteract the heparin immediately after the operation.—Associated Press.

PURGE OF SOKOL

Prague, November 5.

Over 11,400 people have been expelled in the purge of Sokol sports and youth organisations, the Sokol Action Committee announced today.

At the same time, 88,000 new members have been accepted, mostly trade union members who were asked to join.—Reuter.

British Casualties In Malaya

London, November 6.

British forces fighting the rebels in Malaya lost 31 killed during the six months ended October 31.

The War Minister, Emanuel Shinwell, who gave Parliament the figures yesterday, said 36 were wounded. There were no missing.

The figures covered the brigade as well as regulars from Britain. Meanwhile, 58 Dyaks, part of the number brought to Malaya to act as guides for Ferret Force, tracking down Communist insurgents, were flown back to Suva, Borneo, yesterday.

Although the Dyaks were formerly head hunters and lived in the jungles of Borneo, they proved a failure in the strange Malayan jungles.

About 150 more Dyaks will follow them back to Borneo.

Those flown yesterday were given the status of V.I.P. (Very Important Persons).

Their return will rob Moscow radio of a favourite topic.—Associated Press.

FIVE KILLED IN TRIPLE SMASH

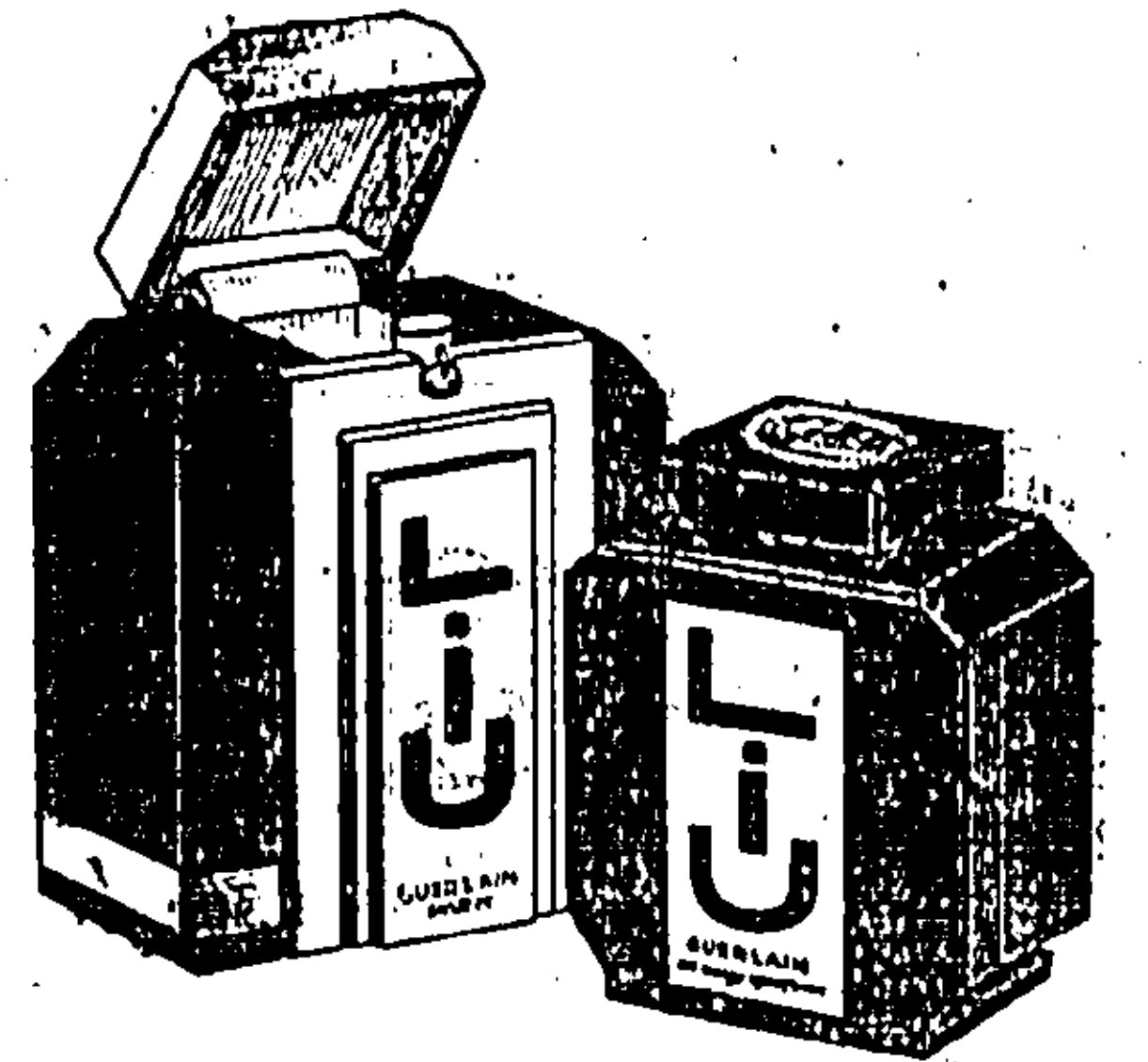
Frankfurt, November 6.

Five Germans were killed and 23 injured in a triple collision last night between a special train carrying several hundred German evacuees from Denmark and two goods trains.

The accident occurred at Weinhelm station between Darmstadt and Heidelberg. The refugee train ran into a halted coal train. One coach was derailed. Another goods train on the second track dived into it, killing five and injuring 23 passengers.

The train was enroute to Biberach, where the evacuees from Denmark will be resettled.—Associated Press.

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PICCARD DECIDES TO GIVE UP

Off Cape Verde Islands, November 6.

Professor Auguste Piccard and Professor Max Caspary, his assistant, have abandoned their plans to make a deep sea dive in order to complete a detailed study of life on the ocean bed.

The two scientists, together with a number of Belgian and French colleagues, had planned to descend four kilometres into the ocean aboard the "Bathyscaphe"—a specially constructed metal sphere.

They decided to abandon the dive today after a detailed inspection of the sub-oceanic craft, which during the night went down, unattended and by remote control, to a depth of about 4,500 feet in Santa Clara Bay.

Launching operations began at noon yesterday.

The Bathyscaphe was pulled up this morning and safely towed away in the Scudis, the motor vessel loaned by the Belgian Government as parent vessel.

The Bathyscaphe was in an under-water balloon—a metal

sphere moored to a huge floating chamber filled with aviation fuel to give the vessel buoyancy.

To descend, the aviation fuel was blown out of the chamber. To rise to the surface, concrete ballast and metal weights attached to the vessel by electromagnets were jettisoned.

This electrical system operating the ballast had been the main trouble during the whole of the expedition's preparations.

In spite of delays and electrical faults, Professor Piccard, accompanied by a French scientist, took the Bathyscaphe 75 feet down into the ocean off the island of Bon Vista just over a week ago.

The Scudis is now returning to Dakar, French West Africa, where she is due on Saturday.—Reuter.

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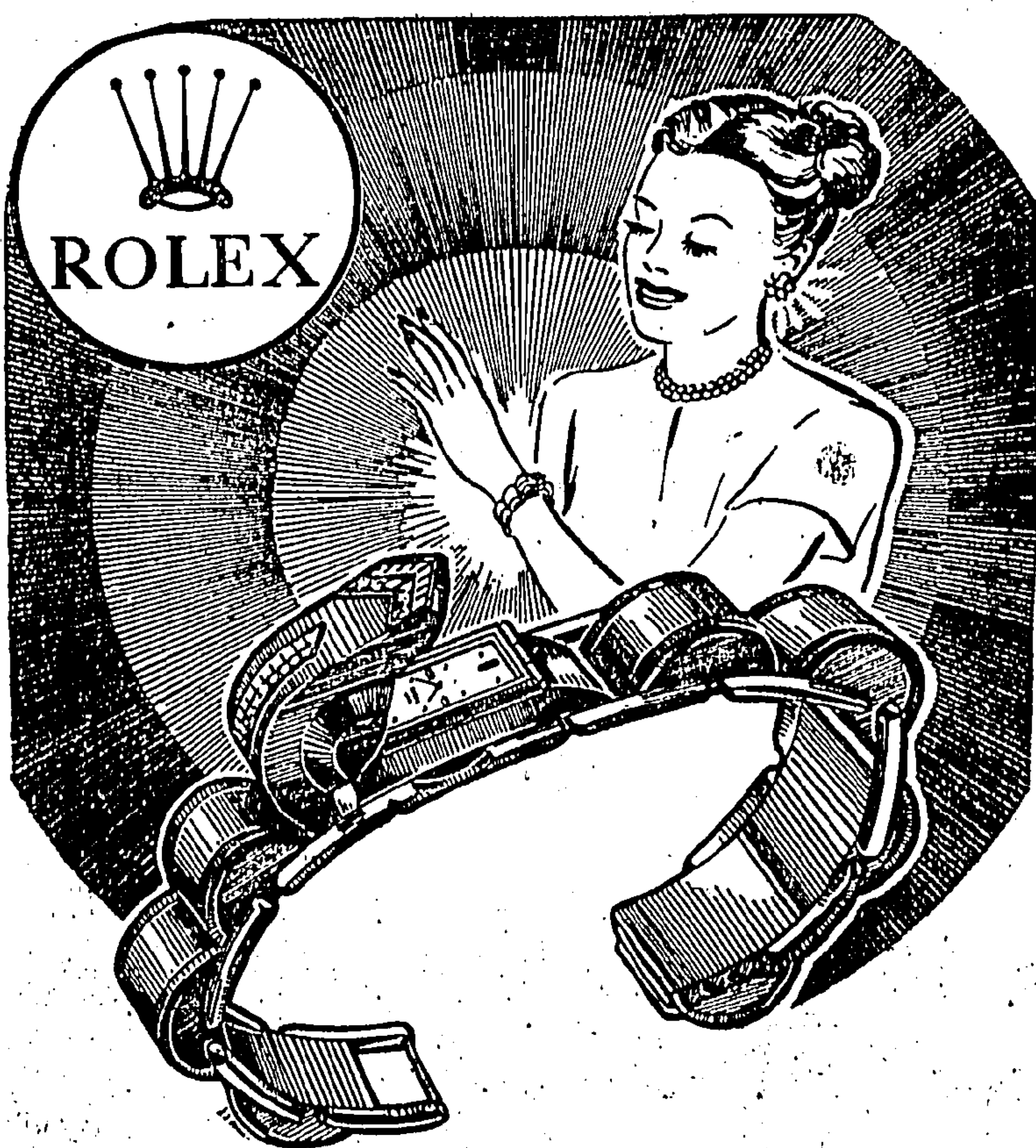
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Welensky Wants A New Dominion

For ten years Roy Welensky, of Northern Rhodesia, has nursed an ambition to create a new British Dominion in Central Africa by the link-up of Northern and Southern Rhodesia and nearby Nyasaland.

The other day Welensky has sat chafing in his seat at the African Conference, powerless to put over the idea because delegates are strictly confined to a prearranged agenda.

But his chance comes with the arrival in London of Sir Godfrey Huggins, Prime Minister of Southern Rhodesia, and Mr. Welensky means to take it in both hands.

The Time For Action

Sir Godfrey, too, believes in this new Dominion for Britain, and when he steps out of his plane Welensky will be waiting to pool ideas. He intends to discuss the scheme with the Colonial Secretary, hopes that it may take the attention of the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' Conference.

"Never had a chance," Welensky told me when I asked whether he had brought up the subject at the private sessions of the African Conference at Lancaster House.

By GRAHAM STANFORD

which are continuing this week. But I hope to get somewhere with it before I leave London. Now is the hour, this is the time for action."

Big, broad, straight-speaking Welensky, Rhodesian born of Swedish descent, is an Empire builder in the Rhodes tradition. Fortyish, a teetotaler and non-smoker, he is known throughout the Rhodesias for his forthright views.

He's just as candid in London—as the Colonial Office well knows. He tells me that he's tired of "gettuffe", of "pedantic platitudes" when men talk of Empire.

Welensky and a lot more like him regard the creation of a Central African Dominion with access to the sea as one of Britain's great future hopes. He believes that economically, strategically, and from all points of view it is of vital importance.

Nigerian delegates to the conference want to know what has happened about that very black blueprint of Empire—the report of the Select Committee on Nigeria published a few months ago.

It revealed that in Britain's largest Colonial territory, with a population of more than 20,000,000 people, there were only ten qualified dentists, one doctor per 133,000 patients, and one hospital bed for every 3,700 applicants. It also disclosed a complete breakdown of the London organisation

for arranging railway priorities. Numerous recommendations were made, but none so far has been carried out.

One delegate said to me: "These 10-year-old development sound wonderful on paper. But better not commit them to paper if they can't be realised."

Time For Experts

One of the great values of this conference was that for the first time African delegates were not completely in the picture on Britain's economic position.

That being so, it might have been a good idea to have a high official of the Supply Ministry present to give the hard facts about what Britain can or cannot send to the Colonies.

One delegate asked who it was that actually decided the priorities, and whether he could give the conference information. He received no satisfactory answer.

It is such facts as these that men like Mr. Welensky and the O.A.S. (spiritual ruler of 2,000,000 Nigerians) want to know. They can then return with a sound evaluation of the position.

Delegates are not impressed by mere ideological utterances, however well meaning they may be. The O.A.S. one of the outstanding personalities of the conference, made this quite clear five minutes after Mr. Herbert Morrison sat down.

Time To Tell

Yet they are saying at UNO that we have so much to hide in the Colonies! At least Russia says that, and a few more of Britain's detractors. The presence of overseas observers who attend all sessions is surely the answer.

There are two points of view about the policy of holding sessions in private. FOR: It obviates the temptations some delegates may feel to talk for political purposes; enables the conference really to get down to hard business.

AGAINST: The inevitable lack of publicity prevents the African from putting his case to the people of Britain; makes it a purely Colonial Office concern.

BRITISH AIR SURVEY PLANS

London, November 5. Representatives of the Hunting air survey group and the Air Survey Company, claiming to comprise 90 per cent of the commercial air survey facilities in the British Commonwealth, met in London today to consider joint plans to ensure that British survey facilities are fully exploited before American aid is called upon.

The meeting followed the announcement earlier this week that the Colonial Office had approached the European Co-operation Administration to recruit American technicians for agricultural and other surveys in the colonies. At the meeting, surprise was expressed that British companies, who had the equipment and the personnel to carry out these surveys, had not been approached. —Reuter.

COAL WOULD BRING HOME THE BACON

The British Exhibition in Denmark which has been drawing Danes in their hundreds of thousands to admire the latest and finest products of British industry will teach them more hard facts in a few hours than they could learn from a ton of Government pamphlets.

In five main buildings and a number of annexes scattered through Copenhagen more than 1,000 British manufacturers staged at a cost of about £1,000,000, the most ambitious exhibition of their products ever to have been held in Scandinavia and the largest to have been held abroad anywhere since the war.

Longing Looks

Danish women stood entranced by nylon stockings, beautiful textiles, gleaming household equipment. Their husbands lingered longingly around the spick-and-span motor-cars and the superlative wood and cutlery.

Industrialists inspected every detail of the machine tools; scientists admired the laboratory equipment, scientific instruments and optical goods; children were

By EWAN BUTLER,

Daily Mail Foreign Editor, just returned from Denmark

enchanted by the toys.

Yet, when the exhibition closed its doors, every article displayed was packed up in the crates in which it was exported to Denmark under special Customs licence and shipped back to Britain.

The Danes cannot for the moment buy most of what we showed them.

For the Danes have very few pounds to spare, and what they have they must spend on such essential but uninspiring goods as coal.

Before the war Denmark supplied Great Britain with more of her breakfast eggs, bacon, and butter than any other single country. She would like to do that again, and a new trade agreement, which has just been initiated, will, she hopes, bring one day a rather of Danish bacon and a top-grade Danish egg to most English breakfast tables.

The Danish housewife, whose butter ration is smaller than that of her British sister, and who never sees bacon—because it is all for export—rather hopes that there might be a little left over for her too.

In an enormous Danish slaughterhouse, as clean as a hospital, I saw last week 1,000 sides of bacon piled ready for shipment to England. The manager shrugged his shoulders helplessly.

"That's all we have for the next week," he said. "Before the war, in busy times, we were killing a pig every 20 seconds on a five-day working week. Today we kill a few pigs, once, or at best twice, a week. The same applies to cattle."

Two Obstacles

For Danish farmers are still suffering from the German occupation. They would like to increase their stock to pre-war level, but two things have so far held them up. They cannot get feed for their animals except whatever they Denmark can produce for itself, and they felt hitherto that the prices offered by

Great Britain were not good enough to make their efforts worth while.

Today things look better in both respects. Marshall Aid will, the Danes hope, produce at least feed for cattle and chickens, though it will be a long time before the pampered Danish pigs get back to their normal diet of barley and skimmed milk.

The new trade agreement with Great Britain, although not entirely satisfactory from the Danish point of view, does offer the farmer a guaranteed price for his bacon over the next four years—we shall be getting 90 per cent of everything he produces—and a fixed price for his butter for a year ahead. Our Ministry of Food hopes that a long-term contract for butter will be signed before that year is up.

The Danes' chief grumble is that Britain will not tell him in advance how much he will have to pay for the coal which he is getting in exchange for his butter and bacon.

Without water-power or coal of her own, Denmark is absolutely dependent for her industry on imported fuel.

If Britons want plenty of eggs and bacon, then, the first step is to send Denmark plenty of coal at the lowest possible price.

After that there should be sterling left over to buy the beautiful things which were shown in Copenhagen.

British 'Tops'

Moreover—and no British visitor to Copenhagen can be in the city for more than half an hour without noticing this—the Danes really love us, and that is not a sentiment which is very commonly met with in Europe nowadays.

Even before the war suggestions were made in very influential Danish quarters that some formal link between Denmark and the British Commonwealth would be in the interests of both countries. You will not hear that suggestion openly made in Copenhagen today, but a lot of people are still thinking along those lines.

Murder At The Waldorf

New York, November 5.

The District Attorney's Office today announced that a handsome 19-year-old youth confessed that he had murdered a wealthy Canadian whose body was found early today in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

Barely ten hours after the body of Colin Cameron MacKellar, 56, of Montreal was found in the famed hostility of royalty and the wealthy, the police arrested Ralph Edmund Barrows in a mid-Manhattan bar.

The Assistant District Attorney, George Monahan, announced soon afterwards that Barrows had admitted killing MacKellar, who was kicked or slumped to death in his 19th floor suite at the Waldorf. —United Press.

American Experts Busy In Turkey

Turkey is being rapidly transformed into America's Middle-West in the Middle-East. United States Senators, only 48 flying hours from New York, pop in for a cup of tea with President Inonu with increasing regularity. Ankara's Ministries present scenes of crowded corridors, with Americans wanting to do business.

Turkey, an unrelenting opponent of Communism, geographically situated on the periphery of the hammer and sickle domain, has once more stepped into her traditional shoes of taking the strain in an East-West tug-of-war.

At the same time, however, the notice "Business as usual" is taking greater prominence now that America is underwriting Turkey's security.

United States Army experts backed by 100,000,000 dollars' worth of modern equipment (more accurately assessed at one 1,000,000,000 dollars-worth by the American general staff) are designed to turn Turkey into a second Texas. This military aid is a watertight compartment affording practically no economic benefits. Heavy tanks and fighter aircraft impose additional burdens on Turkey's already over-burdened budget. On the road-building programme ekes out a modicum of assistance to Turkey's economy.

US Interest

However, American interest in Turkey is not solely confined to military matters. Trans-Atlantic businessmen have been quick to recognise the trading possibilities and industrial potentialities of this country, which is trying to shake off its feudalistic shackles of economic nationalism. Since the new law was passed whereby profits on foreign-held investments can now be exported the lid is being raised on private enterprise, and Turkey is fast becoming a successful economic testing-ground in the Middle-East, with America determined to take the lead.

American aid to Turkey was the first, hefty, premium in a vast trade-in policy. It was given with a shrewd eye on business, and the fact that the White House paid the first instalment proves that Wall Street considers Turkey a safe risk, and American business is getting down to the job in a swift, realistic manner.

To take just one example, one that is of the utmost importance to Turkey: There is an urgent need for tractors and ploughs. This is a country where the land has been tilled by hand for centuries. Wisely the Americans are going right to the heart of the country. They are showing special favour to Ismir and other centres describing the working and capabilities of their machinery. Already they have spare parts stored, which arrived before the actual machines. They have technicians and mechanics on the spot who demonstrate and work the machines for some weeks. Their propaganda, also, is good. They are making much play with the ease of an enterprising Turk who bought one of their modern threshing machines. In one harvesting he regained the total cost and made a handsome profit by hiring out.

Short Step

Johnny Turk back in civvy street was first introduced to machines doing military service. It is a short step from driving a tank or lorry to guiding a motor-plough; and it is quicker and more profitable. Vanguard for the present invasion of trade experts were numbers of American Army officers, who yelled beneath their uniforms a pioneering spirit for

private enterprise, quickly recognising a virgin field full of possibilities.

A walk through the streets of Istanbul, Ankara, and other large towns illustrates the first fruits of the big American commercial drive. Small boys holding trays crowd the pavements, shouting "American". They are selling anything from bubble-gum to pencil-cases, leather goods, and even reflect the same thing in a bigger way. American looks and magazines are cheaper than British and have flooded Britain's almost out of existence. Large flashy American clutter up the small, narrow streets to the bewilderment of Americans fresh from the States.

Shortage of dollars has placed a temporary barrier on luxury goods entering Turkey, but the dollar sign is still in the ascendancy. American experts, have combed Turkish industries with a fine comb. They have gone down mines, inspected British-built iron and steel works at Karabuk, travelled on railroads, and bumped their way over oil-canal, known as roads. Even a coca-cola export has come for two years to study and explore the possibilities of converting Turkish traditional water-drinkers.

American interest is focussed on one of the most important products of the modern world: oil. American experts are confident that Turkey possesses oilfields in a big way, perhaps exceeding the famous oilfields of Persia. They have been hunting down scientifically Turkish prospects and drilling in the right places. Last week a well was struck revealing all the promises expected of it.

Small Resources

The Americans know, and the Turks regret, that Turkey has not sufficient financial and technical resources necessary to develop these oilfields. If these sources are as rich as American experts anticipate, the whole Middle East will be revolutionised.

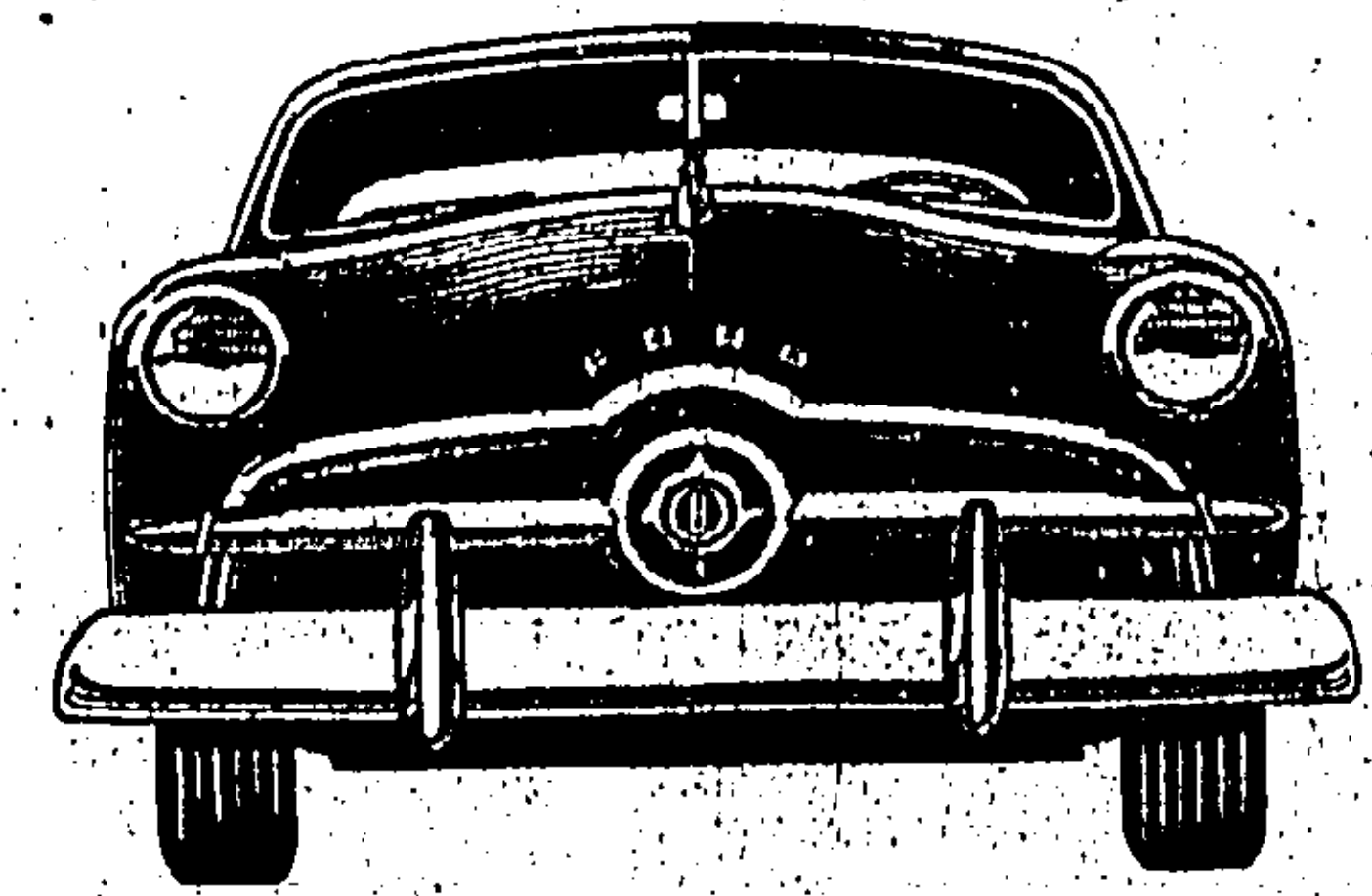
Russia's attentions, on the other hand, will be directed towards the regions she has already claimed as belonging to the Soviet Union. Kars, Ardahan, and Artvin, three of Turkey's eastern provinces, have already been claimed by Russia (incidentally the only regions once belonging to Czarist Russia still outside the Soviet Union).

These provinces border on the rich oil territory. American capital could exploit this region with mutual benefit to the Turks, provided they agree. There could be an oil boom in Turkey to rival the gold rush of last century.

Just where is the present American drive in Turkey leading, or leaving, British interests? British quality still stands high in the eyes of the Turks. Sheffield's "Pageant of Production" would be well patronised by the Turks if they had opportunities of attending. Shopkeepers find British products more durable than their more ornamental American rivals. But the price element enters into Anglo-American trade rivalry. To prevent British goods being completely flooded out of the Turkish market an all-out British effort will be required.

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Ten Towns Flooded In Luzon

Manila, November 6. Flood waters partially submerged at least 10 towns in the South Eastern tip of Luzon. Two trains were derailed from tracks weakened by heavy rains. One engineer was badly injured in a second accident which occurred in the Pao region, roughly 150 miles South East of Manila. Delayed press reports said the flood waters overflowed its banks after six days of continuous rain. All the flooded towns are in Camarines Sur province, but the reports gave no water depths. Highway leading to Naga, capital of Camarines Sur, were impassable. Highway officials did not know how traffic would resume in addition to the damage by derailments, other stretches of track were washed away. Damage to rice crops is expected to be heavy. Profiteers boosted the price of rice for sale. One derailment took place between Dapitan and Alimogon, when an engine towing two freight wagons jumped the tracks on a curve. The other accident in which the engineer was injured occurred in the afternoon between Sumit and Panoon.—Associated Press.

US 'Bombing' Japs On Pacific Isle

The Army is still "bombing" the Japanese.

Hold outs on by-passed Anabutan Island in the Marianas were bombed with leaflets, pictures and American magazines by an Army plane. It was a "softening up" operation. The American Graves Registration Service plans to send a search and recovery team to the island soon, and it wants no trouble from the Japanese still on the island.

MISSION TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Washington, November 6. Camille Gutt, the Belgian Manager of the International Monetary Fund announced today that the International Monetary Fund's mission to Czechoslovakia will leave the United States on Saturday. The mission was announced several weeks ago when it was revealed that \$6,000,000 worth of foreign exchange had been sold to Czechoslovakia. Gutt told a press conference that the mission would be largely concerned with steps that might be taken to restore the normal pattern of trade between Czechoslovakia and the rest of the world. The mission would study Czechoslovakia's balance of payment problem and the "volume and direction of its import and export trade".—Reuter.

Paris, November 5. The United States, Britain and France have received detailed intelligence reports that Israel is getting arms, planes and army recruits over a secret aerial supply route from Czechoslovakia. Some of the information has been turned over to Dr. Ralph Bunche, mediator for Palestine. So far, neither Dr. Bunche nor the Allied officials have been able to verify the reports.

There was as yet no indication whether the Security Council would act on the reports as implying violation of the Palestine truce. Some quarters thought it unlikely as such action might open the way to bigger investigation, involving the possibility of the Arabs also receiving arms. First reports of the information Allied intelligence agents received indicated that Russia was supplying arms to Israel over a secret air route. Later, it was said there was no connection between Russia and maintenance of the air route, though the Jewish deserters to Czechoslovakia had received substantial help from Russia in operating the route.

Skoda Works

It was said that weapons flown from Czechoslovakia originated at the great Skoda arms works there and planes had come by a levelling system of sale and resale from as far away as the United States and Latin America. It was reported that they were flown from bases in Italy and France to Czechoslovakia and that army recruits had come from numerous countries. Several deserters from the Jewish forces had filed sworn

statements of the alleged arming. At least one man who says he deserted after flying the supply route for several months is being hidden by American agents somewhere in Paris to protect him from possible reprisals.

Audrey Eban, Jewish representative here, visited Dr. Bunche today after finding that Trygve Lie, Secretary General of UN, was not in his office. Asked about the airlift reports, Mr. Eban said, "The story probably is as nonsensical as it sounds. I know nothing about it."

Council To Meet

The Security Council meets tomorrow on Palestine. It is to consider the British resolution, introduced last night, which would force the Jews to give up territory in Northern as well as Southern Palestine which they took in recent fighting. The American authorities said they had not decided whether to support the British resolution.

American, British and French sources all confirmed receipt of intelligence reports on the arming of the Jews in violation of the truce. One recent deserter from the Jewish air force was taken to Dr. Bunche by two American newspapermen—Nat Barrow of the Chicago Daily News and Homer Metz of the Christian Science Monitor. The deserter was quoted as making a statement to Dr. Bunche that:

Jewish officials failed to observe army embargo provisions in the Security Council's truce order.

Russian Officers

2. The Jews have received substantial Russian help in maintaining a secret supply line from Caspian aerodrome in Czechoslovakia to Jewish territory in Palestine.

3. Arms, ammunition and some fighting men were being carried into Palestine over an aerial railway route.

4. A group of 300 Russian soldiers are now in Palestine helping the Jewish army.

5. Planes reach the Jews after going through twisting and res-sale, starting as far away as the United States and Latin America.—United Press.

Schacht On Trial Again

Stuttgart, November 5. A German official today said that Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, Hitler's Minister of Economics, will have to stand trial again before a denazification court. Hans Kunkel, denazification chief of Württemberg-Baden, told newsmen that the appeal court's decision acquitting Schacht of a previous denazification conviction will be set aside.

Schacht, who also was President of the Reichsbank during the reign of the Nazis, was released from internment in September when an eight year sentence imposed by a denazification court was quashed. Before that he was acquitted of war crimes charges by the International Military Tribunal at Nuremberg.—Associated Press.

APPEAL FALLS ON DEAF EARS

London, November 5. Labour left wing members urged the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, in Parliament today to intervene to save the beleaguered Greek trade unionists sentenced to death in Athens yesterday for "subversive activities". There was no Government reply, no Minister being present before the hour for the adjournment of the House was reached.—Reuter.

NEW MINISTER SEES KING

London, November 6. Janos Eros, the new Hungarian Minister, presented his credentials to King George VI at Buckingham Palace yesterday.—Associated Press.

Chinese Ahead In Stork Derby

Singapore, November 6. The Chinese have the edge on the Malays in the local Stork Derby.

Chinese births in the first half of 1948 exceed Malay births by nearly 13,000. In the Federation of Malaya, however, the Malays are in the lead by over 2,000.

The figures for Singapore are: Chinese 19,749; Malays—2,058.

For the Federation they are: Chinese—40,030; Malays—42,223.

The heavy Chinese lead in Singapore is due principally to a much larger Chinese population than Malay.—Associated Press.

"Yard" Ends Big Enquiry

London, November 5. A report on the illegal disposal of Europe's surplus Army goods thought to be worth more than £1,000,000 is being prepared by Scotland Yard Fraud Squad detectives for submission to the Director of Public Prosecutions.

Prosecutions are likely to follow in the New Year. Two Yard men are reported to have visited many European capitals and taken statements from hundreds of people during their enquiries.

Experts from Britain's Criminal Investigation Headquarters have returned from Germany where, assisting the British Control Commission in its enquiries, they took statements from dozens of British and German people. They are concluding their investigations in Britain.—Reuter.

Five Millions To Stay At Home

Shanghai, November 6.

The Municipal authorities are to go through with a strange city-wide census plan whereby Shanghai's 5,000,000 odd residents will have to stay home all night—all of them.

The municipality issued detailed instructions for all local residents to be indoors by 8 p.m. on November 8. Twenty thousand policemen, Gendarmes and Peace Preservation Corps members will be mobilised to make house to house checks.

The instructions said—among other things—that all public places including cinemas, theatres, bars and restaurants will have to close, trams, buses and private vehicles will be ordered off the roads, railway terminals will "stop operations", no incoming ships will be permitted to dock alongside the wharves, and homeless refugees will be herded into special centres.

Local foreign observers are sceptical that such sweeping plans will be put into action and expect last-minute postponement or cancellation.

The plan so far has been postponed twice, but the Municipal announcement this morning said the authorities are determined to go through with it.—Associated Press.

JAPAN QUAKE

Tokyo, November 6. An earthquake of medium intensity shook Wakayama, South of Osaka, early yesterday, the British Occupation paper reported today. No damage was caused.—Reuter.

WESTERN EUROPE GETS BUSY ON ALLIANCE

Paris, November 6.

The Brussels alliance next week will begin drafting its plan for a North Atlantic military alliance with the United States and Canada. Meanwhile high British, American, and French commanders in Germany will confer this week-end with Field Marshal Lord Montgomery, chief military planner for the Brussels Alliance.

The meeting will be to map strategic plans for European defence. The US is automatically committed to the defence of Western Europe, regardless of whether there is a formal alliance, as long as American troops are in Germany.

The meeting with Lord Montgomery will be held at Hannover, Germany, only a few days before representatives of the five Brussels allies gather in London.

The US and Canada will not be represented at the London meeting.

Diplomats said that the five West European powers, spurred by results of the US election, expect to be ready for a full scale conference with the US and Canada to be called in Washington early in December. They want to have a proposed pact ready for submission to the new US Congress shortly after it meets in January.

Ruhr Statute

The London meeting will dovetail with a six nation conference on November 11 to study drafting of an occupation statute for the industrial Ruhr Valley of Germany, a French informant said.

The US will participate in the Ruhr meeting with the five Brussels pact nations. American informants said the question of Sweden's participation in the North Atlantic alliance was discussed by John Foster Dulles, US delegate to the UN, and Prime Minister Tage Erlander of Sweden in Stockholm last week-end.

Mr. Dulles is reported to have tried to persuade Sweden to abandon her policy of neutrality.—Associated Press.

Greece And Italy Sign Treaties

Rome, November 6.

The Foreign Ministry announced that Count Carlo Sforza, Italian Foreign Minister, and the Greek Foreign Minister, Constantin Tsaldaris, yesterday signed at San Remo records of friendship, commerce and navigation.

The two Ministers also signed a convention of conciliation and judicial regulations.

"The records signed," the Ministry announced here, "establish a conventional regime between Italy and Greece and are in line with new directions that are being confirmed in matters of international co-operation."

The Ministry said that the records, "while remaining within the classic limits of such documents, gain particular significance insofar as they crown accords directed towards definitely liquidating the past and bringing Greek-Italian relations again to their traditional basis."

"At the same time, proposals for friendly collaboration are within the ever increasing European and Mediterranean framework."—Associated Press.

Mass Execution Of Germans

Munich, November 6.

Fourteen German war criminals were hanged yesterday in a speed-up of executions at Landsberg prison. Another won a last minute stay of sentence.

They were convicted by the American authorities of killing unarmed American soldiers and committing concentration camp atrocities.

This brought to 43 the number hanged since war crimes executions were resumed at Landsberg on October 15.

The sending of 14 to the gallows in one day reflected an increased tempo. The previous executions had been in groups of nine and 10.—Associated Press.

BABY FOR JOAN FONTAINE

Santa Monica, November 5.

The film star, Joan Fontaine, today gave birth to her first child, a girl weighing 8½ pounds, named Deborah Lillie. Miss Fontaine's husband is the producer, William Dozier.—United Press.

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BETWEEN OURSELVES

Paris fashions are becoming 'jet-propelled'

By EDNA McKENNA



The "rudder" silhouette seen in a black and white fine wool check dress with black velvet collar. The skirt, slim in front, is pulled tightly towards the back into ruffles. Seen at Jay's.

PARIS fashions, like the aeroplanes, are becoming jet-propelled and, therefore, the world at breakneck speed. In Britain especially the Paris fashion influence is growing rapidly, and will continue to do so unless our own couturiers do something to counteract it.

The reason? To-day, less than two months after the Paris dress collections, it is possible to go into many of the big stores in Britain and buy a Paris "adaptation" for selling price or less. But British haute couturiers are refusing to allow copies of their clothes to be made, apparently unaware of the danger they run from the competition of these adaptations.

Dior's winged jacket, Jacques Heim's portrait necklines and high cup collars, Jacques Fath's "rudder" silhouette and enormous back-buttoning coat; Bijouclaire's skimp skirt with its loose back panel; even the little stiff white collar and cuffs beloved of Branne La Faurie can be bought by you and me at prices that a few years ago would have seemed impossible.

Paris showed Talleyrand collars, tube skirts, fur-trimmed coats, wool dresses with turned-back cuffs, dressmaker suits with black Victorian braid. To-day every city fashionable in the world is doing likewise.

How it is done

There is no secret about the speed with which these "adaptations" have appeared. Buyers from our own British wholesale houses who visited the Paris collections returned to this country with "totes" or copies from many of the big houses.

Made in coarse white calico, these copies cost over £100, but one may prove the inspiration for a dozen dresses.

Paris designers do not allow an exact copy to be made, but to most women the slight attention makes little difference. What matters to them is that instead of having to pay between £200 or £300 for an original in wool or around £400 for one in silk, they can now have "totes" which are all intents and purposes the same, to suit their purses.



The charming portrait neckling from Jacques Heim's is guaranteed to keep the wearer warm. In royal blue wool, it has a double back with the outside buttoning all the way down. It can be found at Woolfend Bros., of Knightsbridge.



Jacques Fath started the vogue for back-buttoning tent coats—which have become the most talked-of this year. This voluminous great-coat is guaranteed to keep the wearer warm. In royal blue wool, it has a double back with the outside buttoning all the way down. It can be found at Woolfend Bros., of Knightsbridge.

Novel Use For Old Gramophone

One wonders these days what will come next, with so many pieces of furniture made for one purpose being transformed into something for a wholly different use. One of the most ingenious changeovers that I have seen in recent months was that accomplished by a friend and her kancymen hu band.

A young lady in the household furnished the inspiration. In this case, more space being needed for his impedimenta, and an out-moded gramophone a full cabinet model—was the starting point. First, the turntable and crank were removed; then the cabinet was painted inside and out after the original finish had been removed.

A deep cream colour was used for the exterior, with a nice shade of light blue for the interior, including the inside of the doors. Shelves of plywood, painted blue, were fitted into the lower section where records had formerly been stored.

The inside of the hinged cover was padded for use as a pincushion, and covered with chintz showing a small pattern in blue and pink. The inside rim of the cover, painted blue, served as a frame for the padded section. The turntable space is used for the various jars, bottles, soap, etc., incident to a lady's needs; towels, clothes, and other articles find a place on the shelves.

For decoration, around the outer edge of the cover and the doors, a narrow band of blue, one-half inch wide, was painted; and centered on the cover and each of the door panels was a decalcomania transfer design of flowers in soft, pastel shades. The space above the doors which regulated the tones of the music, was filled in with a small panel of plywood, painted like the rest of the cabinet, and an adaptation of the same transfer design used for adornment.

The finished piece is not only slightly useful, my friend tells me, but, as I can see for myself, it is a distinctly decorative asset to the nursery.

So Frightfully Dull

I thought a young man I had met very attractive until I had a letter from him. It was a frightfully dull letter, reading like a report, and it dashed cold water on my enthusiasm for him.

I argue that you can tell at once a man is like by the way he writes, and that this man may actually be a crashing bore. Do you believe this?—PEN-LOPE.

DON'T be so sure you have the real man at once in his letters. True, you can deduce a lot from letters—individual traits and characteristics—but not the composite personality.

Some people become not themselves at all when letter-writing. They lose spontaneity, become stiff and remote. "The gift, or absence of gift, for letters has to be reckoned with. One of the most difficult things in writing is to write with ease.

There's something to be said for your friends' views—but only something. A man who is always writing reports may be very easily deep into business in his private writing and speech. Very annoying it is, too, fading as it does the life and colour out of everything it touches. You could make some little allowance for that, but your sure test of affinity is this: Are you ever bored in his companionship? That you can always take as red for danger.

I like many others, no doubt feel depressed by so much evidence of evil in the world. Wouldn't it be a good thing to remind ourselves now and again that here is much that is good and noble in human nature?—RAY.

It would. "I was surprised just now to see a cobweb round a knocker; for it was not on the gate of heaven."

Do you consider that psychology can successfully take the place of religion?—STUDENT.

I loved someone who had made a promise to another before I came on the scene. I made myself scarce. Now we have met again, and she is married—but we find we love each other. Heartache almost unbearable. Any advice?—Z.

If only to alleviate your own heartache, make yourself determinedly scarce again. It may not in your case, have been the wise course to take in the first place, but this time, if ever a situation called for swift, clear-cut, straightforward action, here it is. Keep out. And right now before your emotions gain the ascendancy and cloud your judgment.

When a man has it in his power to prevent muddle and confusion in his own and other people's lives he doesn't drift—he has his sense. He acts and acts his will free.

Let her have good dancing lessons and a course of physical culture—a kind that gives her graceful deportment, rhythm of movement, and the sort of walk that is a joy to behold.

Make her realize very attractive and you will find that her shyness will disappear. Watch her health, of course, since sudden growth can be temporarily weakening, but give her every opportunity to take part in sport and athletics.

My daughter has suddenly sprung up into a very tall girl—much taller than any of her friends. She is very conscious of her height and it makes her shy and awkward. How can I best help her?—MOTHER.

At making her height a joy and a pride to her. She doesn't know how to use it at present and naturally she feels awkward.

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Household Hints

Line cake pans with plain or waxed paper instead of greasing. Cut several pieces at one time to fit the bottom of pan and keep them on hand.

To grease pans easily, mix 1 cup shortening and 1/4 cup flour to a smooth paste. Spread thinly on pans. Keep a supply of the mix in a covered dish to use when needed.

To prevent juices from cooking out of pies into oven, place a strip of dampened cloth or pastry tape around edge of pie or place a tiny funnel or 1-inch silk of uncooked macaroni upright in centre of pie.

To avoid shrinkage of pie crust roll pastry, place in pie-pan without stretching and set aside 5 minutes before fluting the edge. Or place another pie-pan on pastry before baking. Remove after 15 minutes of baking.

To prepare crumbs from dry bread, force through a food chopper or place dry bread in a small cloth sack and crush with a rolling pin.

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Between Ourselves: Continued from Page 18

SIMPLICITY IS SMART

By JANET MARTIN

Simple lines are smart. This season's newest frocks are cut with an economy of obscuring detail. The well cut line, tailored with restraint, is lifted out of the commonplace by such detail of originality as an unusual folded pleat, a wide cuff, an outstanding pocket or a surprise touch of contrasting colour.

A chilly nip in the morning air these days makes us think of the comfort of light woollen fabrics. And when we visit the shops and see the lovely featherweight woollen cloths just being unpacked, it will not be long before we have added two or three useful new dresses to our between season wardrobe.

The new woollens, so soft and light, yet so warm and wearable, are an ideal medium for the simple line of Autumn frocks. But it is simplicity with this difference... there must be just one touch of original detail. The frocks described for you this week are all simple styles, suitable for daytime wear now, and for wearing with a coat later on. And each one has some distinctive touch which makes it worthy of report.

The frock illustrated is a Der-ville model in brown and white crepe tweed, chosen because it so typically illustrates its theme. At first glance it is very plain, but there are three special details which give it that "model" look. First, the double folded front, with its mock coat effect, and concealed opening to the waist, then the soft folds at the sides of the skirt which give a modified peg-top silhouette; and lastly the wide turn-back cuffs, speciality of the season.

Australian Fashions

Australia's Spring fashions coincide very neatly with our own Autumn requirements, so my next examples come from "down under".

First, a dressmaker frock that is a classic. The material is a fine wool crepe in that new near-black shade blueberry. The style is button-through, from neck to hem, moulded bodice flaring into the soft folds of a full skirt, paneled all in one without a break at the waistline. Special touches are the sleeves, set in one with the bodice panels; the tailored roll collar, without points; and the curved plastic buttons, dyed to the same intriguing shade as the frock.

Next, a fine check with an angora high, in a blend of muted greys. The raglan sleeved bodice buttons down the front from a small, demure collar. The skirt is gathered from the waist but is not too full. Surprise touch is the side midriff panel of similar cloth in a plain shade somewhere between tomato and coral. Gloves to match.

Always A Favourite

The fine black wool is always a favourite for any time of day. In town. Most smart women invariably include at least one plain black in their wardrobe. My highest marks go to a little gown in fine corded suiting, lightweight enough for dress-making. The line is Empire, slim of skirt, moulded from a very high waistline.

Special feature is the three-quarter length dolman sleeve, spanning the depth of the skirt, bodice at the armholes and narrowing towards the elbow. Detachable collar in white ribbed satin has wide reverse points to



button back from the front all of the high round neck. Matching cuffs can be slipped over the sleeves. For afternoons, these may give place to a smart clip or jewelled brooch.

All round pleated skirts are fashion news again, the favourite version being wide box pleats. One chic American model, designed for the teen-ager, has a shirt-maker top with set in sleeves, elbow length and a high turnover collar under which a narrow scarf may be slipped. The waist is belted with a narrow hand-made belt in a matching shade of suede. All round box pleats make a skirt both useful and becoming to the slim figure.

Side buttoning is another feature which is particularly flattering to the fuller figure. In one of the new collections I saw several of these models, including one in wool jersey of a subtle burnt toast shade. The bodice has the long, rolled rever and buttons to the waist. The skirt wraps over and buttons all down the left side, the front being quite straight in one panel, and the back very slightly flared in three panels to give a little extra fullness... the smart way with slimming lines.



AT YOUR FINGERTIPS
by VICTOR MAMAK

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Variations On The Short Hair Theme

By CLAUDIA

The new hair styles for 1949, with their shortened locks, have a softer and more youthful outline. Gentle curls and waves concealing the ears lend a flattering frame to the face and display the new, small, head-hugging hats to their best advantage.

Most daring aspect of the new coiffures is the hiding away of ears after they have been consistently exposed to view for 20 years... and this, naturally, is the most difficult part of the new trend for us to get used to.

At the same time, it is not every woman who is ready to have her hair cut short, especially if she is not sure how she is going to like it when it is done... and too late to change her mind. So here are some suggestions worked out by Riche, the famous London coiffeur, to show how the hair may be dressed to give the impression of a short cut. With one setting, the hair may be brushed out and arranged in a number of quite different styles, simple ones for morning and daytime wear, more elaborate for the evening.

After shampooing, the wet hair is combed back smoothly, parted at the right temple. A deep wave is shaped at the left temple line and the side ends are pinned in flat curls, all wound towards the face. The direction in which the curls are pinned is always most important and should be followed carefully. (Fig. 1) The back hair is then rolled under, each roll being stuffed with a pad of cotton wool so that it keeps its shape while drying. When dry, they will be soft, yet firm and easy to arrange.

New Interpretation

The first style suggested, (Fig. 2) is a charming new interpretation of the page-boy bob. It is a practical style for day wear, simple, neat and to arrange any smooth enough for the smallest of close-fitting hats. For this style, the hair is combed out smoothly on top, the side curls are arranged in a soft, flat-to-the-head group, just covering the ears. The back rolls at the back are brushed together and turned under in a modified page-boy roll, and pinned securely at the sides, behind the ear curls.

For evenings, the same setting can be arranged in a quite different and much more elaborate style while still preserving the short cut effect. (Fig. 3) The side curls are combed into a small roll below the temple and a large, flat palm-curl over the ear. The hair at the back from the crown to the nape of the neck, is divided horizontally into two parts. The top half is swept upward and forward to the right temple, where the ends are arranged in pin curls. The lower half is brushed smoothly across towards the left ear where it ends in a curl.

Swooped-Up Effect

For the girl who prefers a more swept-up effect, with a width of hair across the top of the head, there is another delightful style designed by M. Riche. The hair need not be cut very short, but it should not hang longer than the neck at the back before setting. The hair is parted fairly high above the left temple and set in pin curls all round the head. Each curl is wound in the same direction, away from the parting line. Those on the top of the head are pinned in a wider coil, while those at the sides and back are wound more tightly.

For daytime wear, the hair is

won't even let me use a bit of powder and lipstick. I ask you, is it fair? I am almost 14."

TEARFUL.

You can't. Your mother is right. I am afraid you are a bit too young to use any make-up, except that you may, if your mother permits, use a bit of face powder which matches your natural skin tone.

Remember, no make-up is better than an unflattering mama.

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"TJIBADAK" from Macassar & Javaports 26th November, 11th November, 5 p.m.	to Javaports & Macassar 2nd February, 11th November, 5 p.m.

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SCHEME FOR A SETTLEMENT OF WEST COAST MARITIME STRIKE

San Francisco, November 5.

The Waterfront Employers and Pacific ship-owners today agreed upon a plan for settling the 65-day-old West Coast maritime strike. The plan was formulated jointly by the industry and the Congress of Industrial Organizations.

Election's Effect On US Bonds

New York, November 5. New York bond traders believe that President Truman's election may have halted the persistent selling of U.S. Government bonds.

Yesterday, bondholders were told to sell thirty-year and long-term bonds from the Treasury's support price levels. Traders said that if the short-term market continues, selling of long-term bonds is likely to diminish.

President Truman's election, interpreted to mean that the Government will more aggressively support its bond at present.

Meanwhile, however, during the week ended November 3, the Federal Reserve accumulated a further \$454,000,000 of Government bonds, bringing the total of their holdings to a new peak of \$1,137,000,000.

The holdings of short-term securities declined almost correspondingly, hence its total portfolio of securities and loans expanded by \$17,000,000.

According to Washington reports, one year Treasury certificates due for refinancing in January may be at a higher rate but traders believe that this will not affect long-term bonds.

The one year certificates of 1-1/2%, raised to 1-3/4% per cent last August, are likely to be raised around November to at least 1-3/4%, effective on January refinancing.

The fears that President Truman, supported by a Democratic Congress may further restrict bank credit, may sharply curtail selling of Government bonds.

Indonesia Japs' Good Customer

Batavia, November 6. A trade commission has gone to Japan to talk over ways of increasing trade between that country and Indonesia.

Already Indonesia is the second largest buyer of Japanese goods, according to figures released here. The Indies bought 3,300 yen worth of goods during the first six months of 1945-46 per cent of Japan's total exports.

This was only 1,500 yen less than was bought by the United States.

In recent months, Indonesia has sold about 10 per cent of her total output to Japan, her third-ranking customer.

The present committee is discussing trade and economic relations with Japanese officials in Tokyo includes a member of the NEI Economic Department, Dr. E. Van Lennep of the Finance Department and W.J. Kato from the Netherlands Association.

Shanghai Pay To Be Revised

Shanghai, November 6.

The Social Affairs Commissioner, Mr. Wu Kai-hsien, in a written statement last night, promised local labourers an equitable pay revision, following price increases since the price unfreezing order was issued on October 31.

Commissioner Wu pointed out in a statement that he and his deputies were conferring with the authorities concerned over the basis of a wage revision.

He further said that special relief measures would also be taken in view of the low remunerations accorded to workers in October.

He warned, however, that the Bureau will not tolerate any form of labour-management dispute without first consulting the Social Affairs Bureau for mediation.

The local authorities are still awaiting word from Nanking whether the cost of living index can be revised as a basis for computing wages and salaries as has come before the currency reform.

Money Market

Gold Yuan was down to 29 cents yesterday on the Hong Kong market.

Canton remittances dropped further to 24 cents and Shanghai remittances to 21 1/2 cents.

Cold was quiet but steady. It opened at HK\$305.50 a ton, went up 40 cents, and dropped back to 334.75 in the close.

U.S. dollars were unchanged at HK\$52.10.

Paper dollars dropped back to HK\$59.97 1/2 a 100, after opening at 58.20.

Notes were unchanged at HK\$52.10 a 100.

NEI Guilders registered a further slight drop to HK\$34.10 a 100.

Sterling was slightly higher at HK\$14.40, and Australian pounds were unchanged at HK\$12.53.

AUSSIE TRADING WITH JAPAN

Canberra, November 5. The Prime Minister, Mr. J. B. Chifley, today announced that a £6,000,000 trading loan agreement between Australia and Japan is being planned.



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London Stock Exchange

London, November 5.

A bright and cheerful tone existed in all sections. British Government securities under the aid of Treasury and the new Electricity Loan were widely 1/10 to 1/2 better.

Among industrial shares were again favored. Imperial Chemicals, in particular, was 1/2 better. The off-cotton share market firmed up with American cotton particularly good at 5 1/2.

Following the trade agreement announcement, Japanese shares rose in the Far Eastern section, being 1/2 higher.

South African mining issues were again firm with continued demand for the Far Western issue in a market short of stock, resulting in some useful gains.

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"TSINAN"	Swatow	3 p.m. 11th Nov.
"YCHOW"	Singapore, Palembang, & Sibit	4 p.m. 11th Nov.
"SINKIANG"	Amoy, Foochow & Shanghai	10 a.m. 15th Nov.
"SHENGKING"	Shanghai	4 p.m. 19th Nov.
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"HANYANG"	Tientsin & Foochow	9th Nov.
"TSINAN"	Swatow	10 a.m. 10th Nov.
"YCHOW"	Shanghai & Amoy	10th Nov.
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"AGAMEMNON"	U.S.A. via Manila & Shanghai	27th Nov.
Sailings to		
"CHANGTE"	Kobe, Nagoya & Sandakan, Sydney, Melbourne & Brisbane	10 a.m. 7th Nov.
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CNAC ex-Shanghai 10.25 a.m., ex-Amoy via Swatow 1.55 p.m., ex-Canton 4.20 p.m., 6.45 p.m.	
CATC ex-Chungking via Canton 2.18 p.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Canton 3.40 a.m., 11.40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m., ex-Shanghai 3.40 p.m.	
HOAC ex-Shanghai 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	
AIR FRANCE ex-London, Haiphong 2 p.m.	

TOMORROW

HOAC ex-Singapore 4 p.m.	
CNAC ex-Shanghai via Foochow, Taipei 4.30 p.m., ex-Shanghai 11.45 a.m., ex-Amoy via Swatow 1.55 p.m., ex-Canton 4.20 p.m., 6.45 p.m.	
PAN-AMERICAN ex-Hankow 3.45 p.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Canton 3.40 a.m., 11.40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	

TUESDAY

CPA ex-Manila 1 p.m.	
CNAC ex-Shanghai 11.45 a.m., ex-Shanghai via Kunming 11.25 a.m., ex-Shanghai via Amoy, Foochow, Canton 6.10 p.m., ex-Amoy via Swatow 1.55 p.m., ex-Canton 4.20 p.m., 6.45 p.m.	
CATC ex-Taipei via Amoy, Swatow 8.20 p.m., ex-Kunming via Luchow, Canton 6.30 p.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Canton 3.40 a.m., 11.40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	
PAN-AMERICAN ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Midway, Wake, Guam, Manila 2 p.m.	
PAAC ex-Francisco via Honolulu, Guam, Manila 10 a.m.	
DOAC ex-Southampton, Bangkok 3 p.m.	
HAATHENS ex-Ola, Bangkok 2 p.m.	
AIR FRANCE ex-Bangkok 2 p.m.	

TOMORROW

HOAC for Bangkok, Southampton 7.45 a.m., Singapore 8 a.m.	
AIR FRANCE for Haiphong, Hanoi 8 a.m.	
CNAC for Shanghai 12.45 p.m., Amoy via Swatow 8 a.m., Canton 2.15 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	
CPA for Hongkong via Bangkok 7 a.m., Manila 2.30 p.m.	
CATC for Shanghai via Canton, Amoy 8 a.m., Amoy 7 a.m.	
PAN-AMERICAN for San Francisco via Manila, Guam, Wake, Midway, Honolulu 1.45 p.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS for Canton 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.	

TUESDAY

CNAC for Shanghai 12.45 p.m., Shanghai via Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Canton 6.25 p.m., Amoy via Swatow 8 a.m., Canton 2.15 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	
CATC for Taipei via Swatow, Amoy 8 a.m., Kunming 7 a.m., Shanghai 10 a.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS for Canton 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.	
PAN-AMERICAN for Bangkok 3 p.m.	

Departures

TODAY

CNAC for Bangkok via Kunming 11.25 a.m., Shanghai 11 a.m., Shanghai via Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Canton 8.30 a.m., Amoy via Swatow 8 a.m., Canton 2.10 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	
CATC for Chungking 7 a.m., Shanghai 8 a.m., Swatow, Amoy 8 a.m., Canton 2.15 p.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS for Canton 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.	
AIR FRANCE for Haiphong 8.30 a.m.	

TOMORROW

HOAC for Bangkok, Southampton 7.45 a.m., Singapore 8 a.m.	
AIR FRANCE for Haiphong, Hanoi 8 a.m.	
CNAC for Shanghai 12.45 p.m., Amoy via Swatow 8 a.m., Canton 2.15 p.m., 4.40 p.m.	
CPA for Hongkong via Bangkok 7 a.m., Manila 2.30 p.m.	
CATC for Shanghai via Canton, Amoy 8 a.m., Amoy 7 a.m.	
PAN-AMERICAN for San Francisco via Manila, Guam, Wake, Midway, Honolulu 1.45 p.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS for Canton 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.	

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CATC for Taipei via Swatow, Amoy 8 a.m., Kunming 7 a.m., Shanghai 10 a.m.	
H.K. AIRWAYS for Canton 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.	
PAN-AMERICAN for Bangkok 3 p.m.	

POST OFFICE

MAIL NOTICE

GENERAL HOLIDAY

On Monday, November 8, 1948, the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will open from 8 a.m. to noon, and other Branch Post Offices from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

There will be no delivery of Ordinary and Registered correspondence at 10 a.m. and one collection only from Pillar Boxes.

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NEW SCHEDULE OF B.O.A.C. PLANE FOR UNITED KINGDOM AND JAPAN

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Sundays: G.P.O. Hong Kong and G.P.O. Kowloon (Reg.) 5 p.m. (Saturday), (Ord.) 10 a.m. (Sunday).

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Unless otherwise stated, Registered Articles and Parcel Posts close 10 minutes earlier than the ordinary mail. If mails close before 10 a.m. Registered and Parcel Posts close at 5 p.m. on the previous day. Mails are closed at Kowloon Central Post Office, half an hour earlier than the G.P.O. closing times.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Closing Times by Air

Canton, (Kowloon C.P.O.) 9 a.m., Noon (G.P.O.) 8.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m.	
Airmail for Kunming and Calcutta, (Reg.) 9 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 5 a.m. 7/11.	
Airmail for Swatow and Amoy, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 9.30 a.m. 7/11.	
Airmail for Bangkok, Calcutta, Karachi, Dhahran, Cairo, Alexandria, (Nairobi) Johannesburg and Marseilles via Alexandria, Rome and London, Kowloon C.P.O., (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 7/11; G.P.O., (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 7/11.	
Airmail for Bangkok, Singapore, Batavia, Colombo, Sydney and Auckland, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 7/11.	
Airmail for Haiphong and Hanoi, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 7/11.	
Airmail for Shanghai, Hankow, Hanyang and Peking: Airmail for Foochow: Airmail for Taipei, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 7/11.	

Closing Times by Sea

Swatow, 10 a.m.	
Amoy, 10 a.m.	
Manila, 10 a.m.	
Batavia, Hongkong, Ceylon and Madagascar, 10 a.m.	
Tientsin via Canton, 10 a.m.	

GENERAL HOLIDAY

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Closing Times by Air

Canton, (Kowloon C.P.O.) 9 a.m. and Noon (G.P.O.) 8.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.	
Airmail for Shanghai, (Reg.) 9.30 a.m., (Ord.) 9 a.m.	
Airmail for Swatow and Amoy, (Reg.) 9 a.m., (Ord.) 9.30 a.m.	
Airmail for Manila, (Reg.) 11 a.m., (Ord.) 11.30 a.m.	
Airmail for Bangkok, Singapore, Batavia, Colombo, Sydney and Auckland, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 4/11, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 7/11.	

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Tientsin via Canton, 10 a.m.	

Shipping Intelligence

Shipping Arrivals

YESTERDAY

BRIS (Thoresen), 1,514 tons, ex-Manila, S.A. Hijudo	4.5
E-SANG (Jardine), British, 2,001 tons, ex-Kowloon, J. Shiel	West Point
HONG KIANG (Ho Hong), British, 2,140 tons, ex-Kowloon, J.B. Crawley	18
SHENGKING (D. & S.), British, 1,442 tons, ex-Kowloon, Evans, Cust. Whf.	18
TSINAN (D. & S.), British, 2,100 tons, ex-Swatow, V. Fox	Cust. Whf.

TODAY

TIJUDAS (R.I.L.) ex-South Africa.

TOMORROW

AROR (Doddwell) ex-Admiralty.

CHANGKANG (Jardine) ex-Batavia.

TUTIALENGKA (R.I.L.) ex-Amoy.

Shipping Departures

YESTERDAY

BLUE HIRD for Korea.

SHENGKING (D. & S.) for Kure.

HELKON (Wo Fat Shing) for Saigon.

HONG KIANG (Ho Hong) for Saigon.

TSINAN (D. & S.) for Swatow.

TOMORROW

VAN HEUTZ (R.I.L.) for Amoy.

SHENGKING (D. & S.) for Shanghai.

Vessels In Port

ANKAN (Grimble) ex-Taipei.

BOISSEVAIN (R.I.L.) ex-Taipei.

BONTKEO (R.I.L.) ex-Taipei.

BOURWOOD (Mac. Mac.) ex-Taipei.

CEBU (Rama) ex-Taipei.

CHANGTE (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

DAVINK (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

DEWITT (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

HAI CHEN (C.M.S.N.) ex-Taipei.

HAI TAN (Doddwell) ex-Taipei.

HALEKALA (De La Roca), T.M. ex-Taipei.

HELKON (Wo Fat Shing) ex-Taipei.

HONG KIANG (Ho Hong) ex-Taipei.

INCORAG (Williamson) ex-Taipei.

KUT CHUNG (Jardine) ex-Taipei.

LANCASHIRE (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

LOUIS MOLLER (Mollers) ex-Taipei.

MADATE (S. China) ex-Taipei.

NEW SHANGHAI (C.M.S.N.) ex-Taipei.

NOVROZ (C. Trading) ex-Taipei.

REVERETT (Kewett) ex-Taipei.

SHENGKING (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

STANVAC (S.V.O.C.) ex-Taipei.

TAIKUEN (S.S. China) ex-Taipei.

TSINAN (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

VAN HEUTZ (R.I.L.) ex-Taipei.

WANG CHUNG (Jardine) ex-Taipei.

WANGFU (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

WUJIANG (D. & S.) ex-Taipei.

VESSLS DUE FROM

AFRICA

TEGELBERG (R.I.L.) ex-S. Africa.

TIJUDAS (R.I.L.) ex-S. Africa.

TIJAMPER (R.I.L.) ex-S. Africa.

AMERICA

AGAMEMNON (D. & S.) ex-N.Y.

GERTRUDE MAERSEK (Jebson) ex-N.Y.

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HOPEVILLE (Thoresen) ex-Atlantic Coast.

LAURA MAERSEK (Jebson) ex-N.Y.

MARQUETTE VICTORY (Gillman) ex-Atlantic Coast.

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PIONEER TIDE (U.S.L.) ex-New York.

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Memorial Scrolls For War Heroes

Memorial Scrolls are to be issued to the next-of-kin of members of the Civil Defence Services, Hong Kong Police, Police Reserve and Fire Brigade, killed in action or who died as a result of wounds received in action. It was officially stated yesterday.

The next-of-kin of Volunteers killed in action or who died of wounds or while interned will also be presented Memorial Scrolls. Applications from the next-of-kin of members of the following services may be submitted to the Head of the Service in which the deceased person had served.

Hong Kong Police Reserve, Auxiliary Fire Service, Labour Control Section of the Auxiliary Labour Corps, Auxiliary Supply Corps, Auxiliary Transport Service (Sea), Auxiliary Rescue and Denotation Corps, Staffs of Light House, Hong Kong Police Force, Air Raid Precautions Corps, Auxiliary Communications Service, Auxiliary Ordnance Corps, Auxiliary Transport Service (Land), Civil Pay and Accounts Service, Auxiliary Quartermaster Corps, District Watch Force and Auxiliary Medical Corps. (All these who served in regular Government Medical Service or approved civilian Auxiliary Service whether in a unit under military or civil control.)

Application Details

Applications must include the full name and sex of deceased with any Honours, Decorations or Medals of which he or she was in receipt. Service of which deceased was a member, details of death of deceased, full address of applicant and relation to deceased. Preparation of the scrolls will take place in London. Any subsequent changes in the address of the applicant should be notified to the Colonial Secretariat. Applications need not be submitted by the next-of-kin of members of the following services: those who were killed in action or died of wounds received in action; Hong Kong Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps and the Hong Kong Fire Brigade.

The Commanding Officer, H.K.N.V.R., the Commandant, H.K.V.D.C., and the Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, will, in conjunction with the Accountant General, automatically submit the names of such next-of-kin to the Colonial Secretariat.

CANDIDATES PASS WITH HONOURS

Three candidates, Lucy Cheng, Agnes Cheng and Chiu Wai-tak, passed with honours in the Midwives Board Examination held last month. The results follow: Government Hospitals: Lucy Cheng, Agnes Cheng and Josephine Mary Lau.

Tsun Yuk Hospital: Yam Kai-yang and Sun Sau-yung.

Tung Wah Hospital: Ho Yuet-wan, Wong Wai-see and Luk Yuen-kuan.

Netherdale Hospital: Chiu Wai-tak, Hung Yuk-ching and Pin Ka-yun.

HUNT PAPER CHASE

The opening meet of the Polo and Hunt Club will be held at San Wal Camp on Sunday December 12. If you are not already a Member of the Club and are interested, get in touch with the Hon. Secretary, Combined Services Headquarters, Hong Kong. Tel. 34121 Ext. 312.

If you do not own a horse a limited number are available for hire if you apply early.

Stage Set For HK Badminton Season

(By ARGONAUT)

With the various Colony Inter-Club Leagues starting on November 22, the stage is now set for the 1948-1949 season of the feather game. A meeting of the League Sub-Committee was to take place last Friday, and fixture handbooks will no doubt be out during this week. Busy preparations have already been started by the majority of clubs.

Improvements have been noticed to a number of badminton courts, particularly the one at the Y.M.C.A. Bad lighting has been quite a major problem and it is understood that negotiations are being carried out by the Association for the purchase of inexpensive removable floodlights.

A number of friendly matches have been played during the month. The Chinese Y.M.C.A. Junior Team emerged easily victors in their games against Chung Hua and Kowloon Tong, while St. Teresa's secured comfortable wins in their Mixed Doubles matches with the Recreation B and Kowloon Dock. The interest in badminton has been growing steadily in the Colony, and the number of well-placed positions in the forthcoming Leagues.

On the whole, entries for the Leagues proper proved rather disappointing. In spite of the closing date being extended for another week, the only further entries received were from Chinese Y.M.C.A. for the Senior Mixed Doubles, and the RAF for the Junior Doubles.

The Ladies Doubles Divisions will have to be cancelled as a consequence, and the Senior Mixed Doubles probably combined with the Junior Mixed Doubles. This state of affairs was a greater pity in that at least two Clubs could very well and easily send in a team for each of the events.

Unanimous Opinion

A unanimous opinion has been expressed by players participating in the Leagues, that in addition to challenge trophies, the Association should consider the award of medals to the members of the winning and runner-up teams. Another item which should occupy the attention of the League committee before the Leagues start is the necessity of formulating a clear-cut ruling defining the qualifications of a Junior player, so that no confusion may arise when the Colony Championships begin.

The Junior Tournaments are run, presumably, with the purpose of introducing new blood into the game and such, it should be the policy of the Association to debar any previous prizewinner in the Junior Division whether Champion or Runner-up, whether Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles or any event, from taking part in the same Division again. Interest in the feather game this year will not only be local, but will naturally also focussed on the scene of the Thomas Cup matches which will eventually culminate in the finals at London.

Memorable Year

This is a memorable year in the history of the game, in that it marks its promotion to a game of international status, although the Thomas trophy was presented at first back in 1913, and competition was held up on account of the War.

It is run on the same Davis Cup Zone system, and it is expected that Denmark (European Zone), India (American Zone), and

Malaya (Asiatic Zone), will eventually meet in the Semi-Finals.

If Denmark should meet India, the finalists will no doubt be Malaysia and Denmark with Malaysia as strong favourites. Malaysia has chosen the best team available and the standard can be gauged by the fact that S. A. Durai the 1947 All-India Champion and A. S. Samuel the 1948 All-England runner-up both failed to gain a place in the team of seven: Wong Pen-Soon, Ooi Tek-Hock, Yoo Teck-Chye, Ong Poh-Lim, Lim Kee-Fong, Teoh Sang-Khoon, Chan Kon-Yeung.

For the sake of players and enthusiasts who would like to follow the results it may be mentioned that a Thomas Cup Match consists of a total of nine games—three Singles and two Doubles, the No. 1 and No. 2 Singles playing all round, the No. 3 Singles playing only 1 game against the No. 3 Singles and the Doubles being played all round.

Swimming Finals Of Boy Scouts

The swimming finals of the Boy Scouts Association were held yesterday at the Army Swimming Pool, Victoria Barracks, at which scout troops from all over the Colony, including the Hong Kong Sea Scouts, were represented. The two-hour gala culminated with a short speech from the Deputy Colony Commissioner of Scouts, Mr. C. C. Quah, after which certificates were presented to the winners by Mrs. Quah. Silver shields were each given to the First Hong Kong Sea Scouts and the Wolf Cub Pack of 10th Kowloon.

Here are the results of the finals:

SENIORS
100 yards free style: 1st, Cheung Shing-yun (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Chu Chiu-lam (2nd N.T.); 3rd, Leung Wah-shing (2nd N.T.).
100 yards breast stroke: 1st, Wong Pak-lun (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, So Kwok-kwong (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 3rd, Wong Kai-yum (1st H.K. Sea Scouts).
50 yards free style: 1st, Chu Chiu-lam (2nd N.T.); 2nd, T. Noronha (10th K.); 3rd, Cheung Shing-yun (1st H.K.).
50 yards breast stroke: 1st, Wong Pak-lun (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Lau Woon-chiu (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 3rd, So Kwok-kwong (1st H.K. Sea Scouts).
Diving: 1st, Wong Pak-lun (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Lau Woon-chiu (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 3rd, F. Xavier (2nd H.K.).
10th Kowloon: 1st, 2nd N.T.; 2nd, 15th K.; 3rd, 1st H.K. Sea Scouts.

JUNIORS
25 yards free style: 1st, Lam Ka-sing (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Chan Lai-ke (10th K.); 3rd, L. Gutierrez (10th K.).
25 yards back stroke: 1st, Lam Ka-sing (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Miawo Hen Nin (10th K.); 3rd, Mak Kai-chung (1st H.K. Sea Scouts).
25 yards breast stroke: 1st, Lam Ka-sing (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Wong Ping-man (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 3rd, Lo Chak-kin (10th K.).
50 yards breast stroke: 1st, Lam Ka-sing (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 2nd, Mak Kai-chung (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 3rd, L. Gutierrez (10th K.).
Diving: 1st, L. Gutierrez (10th K.); 2nd, Mak Kai-chung (1st H.K. Sea Scouts); 3rd, Lam Ka-sing (1st H.K. Sea Scouts).
Life saving race: Lam Ka-sing (1st H.K. Sea Scouts).
There were also some events by the Wolf Cub Pack in which some fine styles and speeds were displayed.

Recs 2nd XI Beat KCC By 87 Runs

Entertaining the Kowloon Cricket Club Second XI to a friendly game at King's Park yesterday, the Club de Recreio Second XI beat the visitors by 87 runs.

The KCC bowlers found D. A. Remedios and E. A. R. Alves tough nuts to crack, but once these two batsmen were disposed of for a total of 115 runs, the rest was pretty soft going.

Vic Bond and Vic Seymour were the high ranking bowlers for the Cox's Road players, with four wickets for 40 runs and three wickets for 30, respectively. C. A. Gutierrez of the Recreio disposed of eight KCC batsmen for only 37 runs.

RECREIO

Scores were as follows:
D. A. Remedios, lbw., Bond 0
M. N. Xavier, b. Luke 0
A. Osmund, c. Leigh, b. Luke 13
J. L. S. Alves, lbw., Seymour 0
E. A. R. Alves, b. Gray 47
F. Lur, c. Leigh, b. Seymour 15
C. A. Gutierrez, c. Luke, b. Bond 0
L. A. Remedios, b. Seymour 0
F. Lur, b. Bond 4
F. M. Rosario, not out 4
A. O. Sales, c. b. Seymour 1
Extras 11

Total 165

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O	M	R	W
J. T. Luke	5	1	31	2
V. C. Seymour	31.1	2	40	4
V. C. Bond	10	—	36	3
S. A. Gray	3	—	24	1
K. Adams	3	1	14	—

Extras 11

Total 165

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O	M	R	W
C. A. Gutierrez	10.1	2	34	1
E. A. R. Alves	5	1	14	1
J. L. S. Alves	5	1	15	1

Extras 11

Total 78

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O	M	R	W
C. A. Gutierrez	10.1	2	34	1
E. A. R. Alves	5	1	14	1
J. L. S. Alves	5	1	15	1

Extras 11

Weather In October

Normal conditions were experienced during October and the weather was generally fair except for a short period from October 17 to 19 of cloudy or overcast weather with occasional rain.

This period produced 2.02 inches of the total rainfall of 3.18 inches with the heaviest rainfall on October 19 when 1.57 inches were recorded.

A tropical depression passing well to the South of the Colony gave cloudy weather with squally winds on October 22 and 23 with a maximum wind gust of 40 m.p.h. on October 22.

The first cold spell of the winter with night minimum temperatures below 70°F occurred on October 14. The maximum temperature recorded was 69.1 degrees on October 4 and the minimum 62.5 degrees on the 31st.

The month's figures and departures were: Sunshine 213.5 hours, 3.9 hours below average. Rainfall 3.18 inches, 1.32 inches below average. Relative Humidity 78 per cent, 6 per cent above average. Dew Point 69 degrees F, 2 degrees F above average. Air Temperature 76.5 degrees F, 0.3 degrees F above average.

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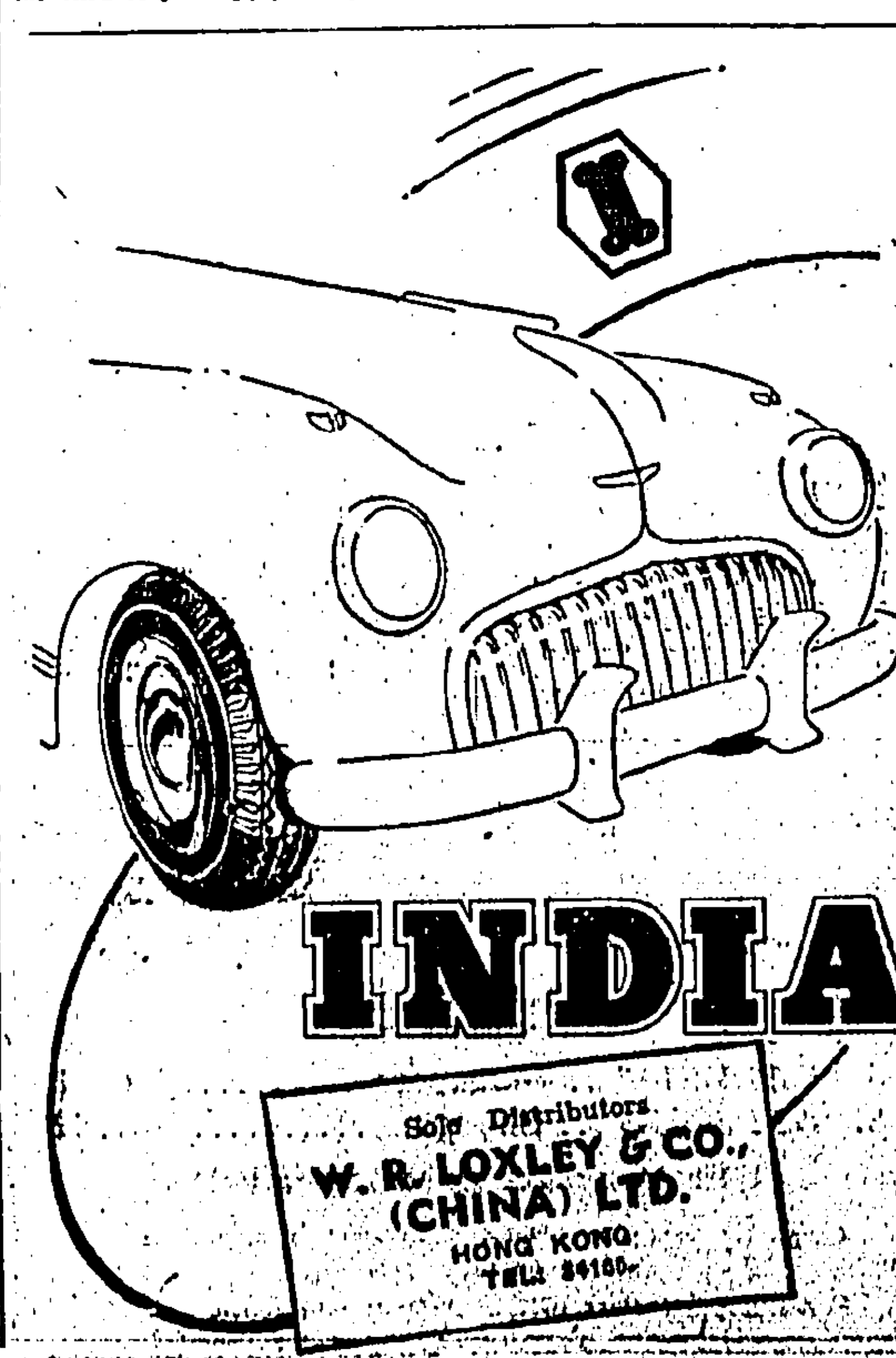
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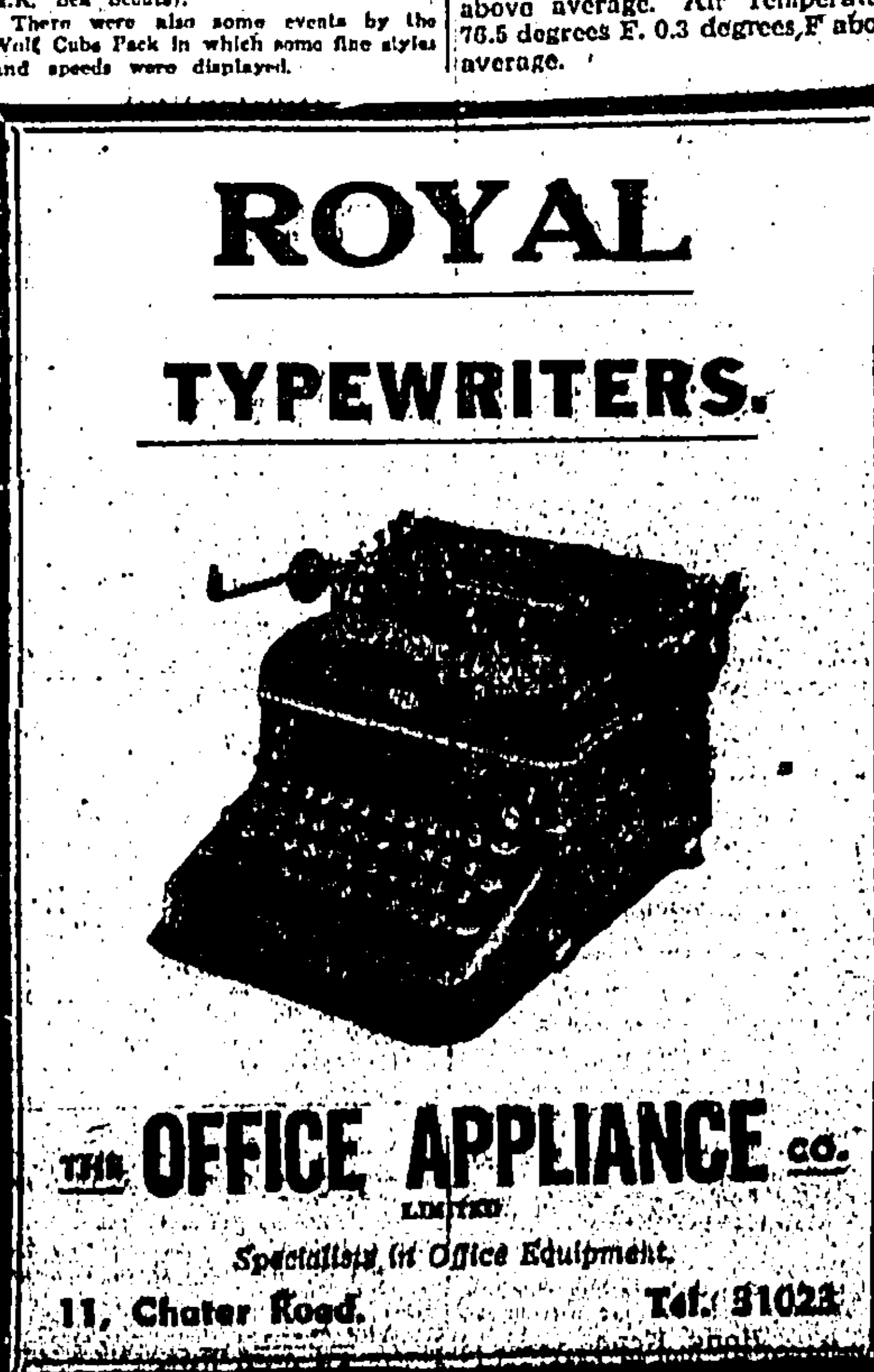
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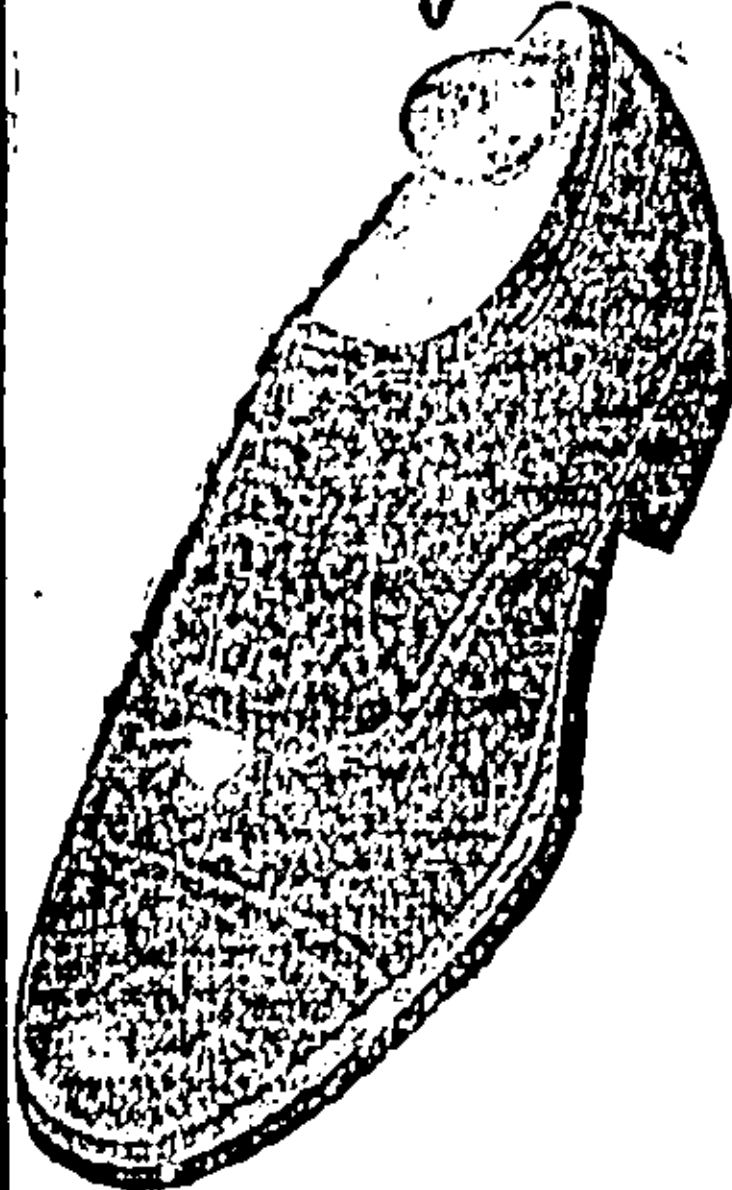
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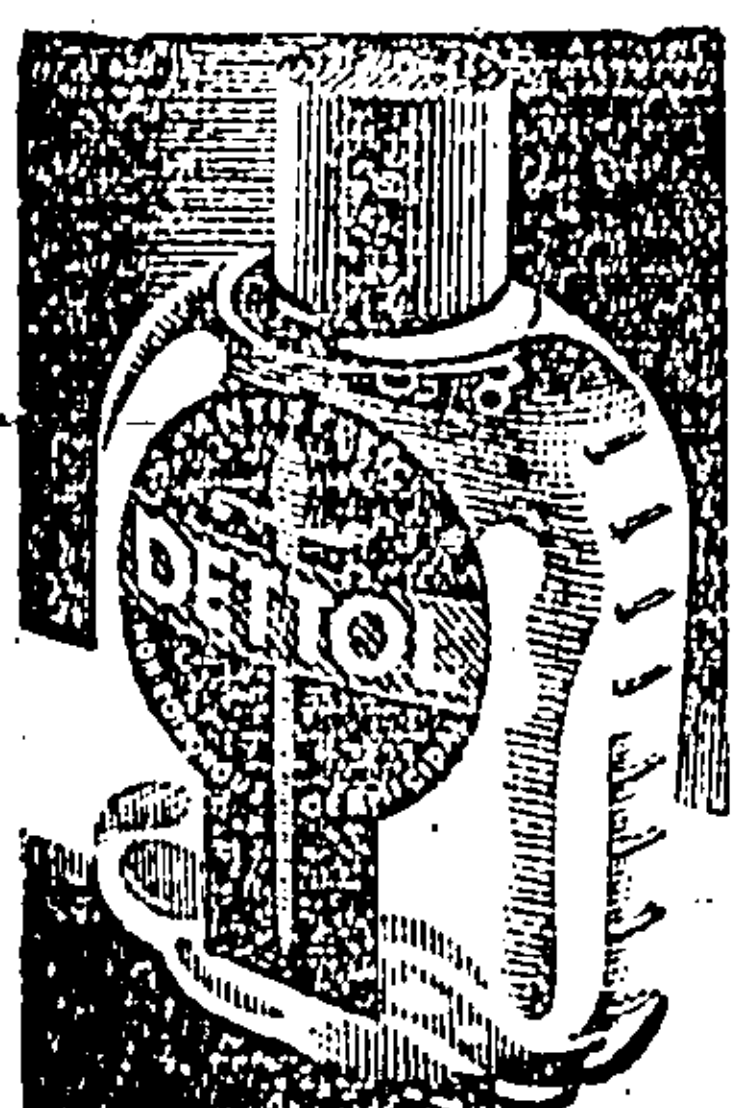
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Scorpions, Optimists Win League Tilts

Police Save Referee

Milan, November 6. Police reinforcements, using tear-gas and truncheons, saved a referee from being lynched by several thousand football "fans" after a game at Monza, near Milan, today.

The football enthusiasts accused him of favouring the visiting team and at the end of the game advanced on to the field. Grandstand spectators threw bottles and stones.

—Reuter.

Boat Race To Be Held On March 26

London, November 6. That great sporting event, the boat race between the University crews of Oxford and Cambridge, will take place on March 26 next year over the Putney to Mortlake course in the River Thames.

This despite all rumours that the race was to be transferred to either Oxford or Cambridge rivers because there was not sufficient stait for the boat race clubs in a race on the Thames.

It is an expensive business to take part in this event and the Thames, of course, is a free ground for anybody who cares to wait on the towpath or any other vantage point to get a view of the crews racing past.

It was a problem which faced the Presidents of the first clubs and last year they hit on the idea of producing an official programme which was sold to the spectators.

The sales were so satisfactory that the business of both the Oxford and Cambridge clubs benefited considerably and so the decision was reached to keep the race on the historic Thames course.

Next year's race will start at 11.30 a.m. GMT, which is the earliest start for three years, but the tide will be suitable at that hour.

Last year, it can be recalled, it was an evening race, owing to the tide.

—Reuter.

TODAY'S SOCCER

School League

Senior Division

St. Joseph's vs. Queen's, St. Joseph's 11 a.m. Referee: S.Y. Kwok.

St. Paul's vs. La Salle, St. Paul's 11 a.m. Referee: D.P. Lai.

St. Andrew's vs. Wah Yuen Club 11 a.m. Referee: Lai Yue Wing.

La Salle (bye).

Junior Division (Kowloon)

La Salle vs. Wah Yuen, La Salle 11 a.m. Referee: W. Gibson.

Monkton vs. Yauwatt (am), La Salle 10 a.m. Referee: Liu Siu Ming.

Yauwatt (pm) (bye).

Junior Division (Hongkong)

St. K. (am) vs. St. Joseph's, St. Joseph's 10 a.m. Referee: Leung Yick Tong.

Queen's vs. Wanchai (am), Catherine Hill 10 a.m. Referee: Chan Tai Fai.

Wah Yuen vs. A-Chinese (am), Club 10 a.m. Referee: Chan So.

Wanchai (pm) vs. A-Chinese (pm), Navy (Happy Valley) 11 a.m. Referee: A. Ribeiro.

E. K. (pm) vs. Govt. Vernacular, Atry "1" 11 a.m. Referee: Tsang King Hong.

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Army Beat Navy XI, CCC Lose To Airmen

The HKCC "Scorpions" and HKCC "Optimists" secured full points in their First Division Cricket matches against KCC and IRC respectively yesterday, winning by wide margins in both cases.

At Chater Road, a sparkling 110 by L. F. Stokes enabled the "Scorpions," after dismissing KCC for 141 runs, to win by eight wickets.

The "Optimists" went one better at Sookunpoo, where they beat a strong IRC XI by 5 wickets, after dismissing the latter for a mere 28 runs.

In the other two First Division games, Army beat Royal Navy by 62 runs, while RAF, after scoring 159 runs, dismissed Cravenpower Cricket Club for 90.

Only one game was played in the Second Division and this resulted in a win for Army over Royal Navy by 28 runs.

At the Hong Kong Cricket Club ground, HKCC "Scorpions" beat Kowloon Cricket Club by eight wickets.

KCC

E. C. Fincher, c Leach, b Howarth	10
N. Hart Baker, lbw, b Howarth	10
A. Ziemann, lbw, b Owen-Hughes	29
W.D.M. Webb, c Atwell, b Owen-Hughes	1
P. Smith, b Howarth	1
E. Randall, c Stokes, b Howarth	1
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F.R. Ziemann, c Farrow, b Owen-Hughes	33
M.J. Divecha, not out	22
G.E. Taylor, run out	13
J. Barrow, run out	5
R.E. Lee, c Howarth, b Stewart	20
Extras	8
Total	141

HKCC "OPTIMISTS"

G.T. Rowe, retired	58
T.P. Mahon, b Ismail	25
W.G. Slinger, c Khan, b Kitchell	25
W.L. Howard, c Madar, b Kitchell	9
A.E. Erson, lbw, b Nazarin	11
A.L. Smith, not out	1
Extras	5
Total	114

R. W. Franklin, R. E. Perry, D. McCallan, N. R. Oliver, L. D. Kilbee, did not bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

O	M	R	W
A. G. Perry	8	2	10
A. L. Smith	8.5	6	10
A. C. Mahon	2	1	2
G.T. Rowe, retired	58		

Playing at Sookunpoo yesterday in the First League, the Army XI beat the Navy XI by 62 runs.

Scores were as follows:—

ARMY

Murray-Brown, lbw, Hann	15
Burton, c Venables, b White	2
Banton, c Hann, b White	19
Bell, b Mills	12
Dawe, c Fluck, b Hann	40
Thornton, b Smith	12
Sepp, c wicket, b Mirehouse	21
Ware, b White	2
Catehouse, lbw, White	2
Phillips, not out	0
Jones, did not bat	0
Extras	8
Total	132

Declared (for 9 wets.)

BOWLING ANALYSIS

O	M	R	W
F.R. Ziemann	8	—	32
R.E. Lee	8	—	45
M.J. Divecha	2	—	7
J. Barrow	2	—	14
G.E. Taylor	2	—	48
P. Smith	7	—	48
N. Hart Baker	4	—	26

In a most disappointing game at Sookunpoo yesterday Indian Recreation Club lost to HKCC "Optimists" by 5 wickets.

IRC

K. Nazarin, lbw, b Smith	2
S.A. Ismail, c Howard, b Perry	6
A.R. Kitchell, run out	0
Total	8

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O	M	R	W
White	10	1	24
Workman	3	—	13
Hann	6	1	23
124th	5	1	22
Mills	3	—	9
Adams	2	—	12
Mirehouse	2	—	21

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Jockey Killed In Racing Accident

S.L. Lo, Popular Novice, Thrown From Amigo Near The Rock

Yesterday's races at Happy Valley were marred by a fatal accident, from which S. L. Lo, a popular novice jockey, died in Queen Mary Hospital from a fractured skull shortly before 7 p.m.

The accident occurred in the third race. Lo was riding Amigo when, nearing the Rock, he was thrown heavily to the ground. Simultaneously three other jockeys were unseated by their mounts.

They were B. L. Tao, J. C. Fonseca and R. A. Castro. Tao was injured in the shoulder, but the other two escaped unhurt.

A very large attendance of turf fans witnessed some fine racing and keen contests. Majority of the events went to favourites, but there were also a few big upsets and surprises for punters.

The biggest surprise came in the last race, the Lamina Handicap (second section), when all the favourites were displaced.

Li Marlene, ridden by Peter Young, carrying only 560 win tickets out of a total of 35,232, came in an easy first by a margin of some 10 lengths on the biggest dividend of the day—\$274.60 for a win and \$99.80 for a place.

The second and third ponies (Good Ship and Two Bids) which were equally ignored, paid \$48.30 and \$27.30 for a place.

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Rapier's Tips Come Through

Results of yesterday's race meeting again proved the high standard of predictions on the part of "Rapier".

"Rapier's" five straight wins paid a total of HK\$68.50. The wins were Busted Straight (Race 1A), Emperor's Gate (Race 1B), Eye Witness (Race 3), Daisy Bell (Race 5) and Breeze (Race 6).

In addition to the five winners "Rapier's" record yesterday included places in all the races.

Won by a length; the same.

Time: 1:22.2.
Parl-Mutuel Win \$21.30; Places \$7.70, \$11.30, \$12.00.
BETTING: Am. Clipper, 164 (W.K. Shieh), Win 2,494, Place 1,693; Arzus, 165 (T.B. Day), 59, 127; Atlantic, 141 (Wong Yau), 672, 819; Bright Season, 146 (H.S. Mok), 354, 505; Bronte, 135 (W.F.M. Cook), 2,004, 1,839; Emperor's Gate, 136 (V.V. Needa), 3,340, 3,333; Goodland Jim, 148 (H.L. Tai), 173, 239; Happy Season, 159 (H.A. Castro), 92, 121; Kookaburra, 149 (P.A. Brodie), 2,639, 2,640; Silver Wheel, 150 (H.B. Chan), 2,477, 2,076; Bure Bhot, 159 (H.T. Alexander), 145 (H.S. Mok), 125 (K. Kwok), 2,039, 1,331. Total Win 16,440, Place 15,828.

Race 2—Waglan Handicap (first section). For Australian Ponies Class 5. One and a quarter miles.

1. Chief Pilot, 2. Countess Delight, 3. Big Shot, 4. Battledore.
Won by three lengths; many lengths.
Time: 2:14.4.
Parl-Mutuel Win \$32.80; Places \$9.30, \$9.20, \$10.50.
BETTING: A. Grand Time, 147 (J. Fox Hunt), Win 3,906, Place 3,042; Amigo, 163 (L.B. Lo), 70, 117; Battledore, 159 (H.L. Tai), 1,452, 1,218; V.K. Day, 150 (Robert L. Lam), 91, 207. Total Win 12,309, Place 10,438.

Race 1—Ping Chau Handicap (second section). For Australian Ponies Class 5. Six furlongs.

1. Emperor's Gate, 2. Am. Clipper, 3. Topsail, 4. "Bright Season".

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2nd " 3510 1,102	2nd " 941 1,535
3rd " 437 588	3rd " 7321 768
Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 994, 5366, 1977, 2929, 4605, 3051, 2820, 6029, 2761.	Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 7, 5474, 6354, 4264, 7195.
RACE 2	RACE 6
1st No. 2199 \$4,173	1st No. 3707 \$5,017
2nd " 5420 1,192	2nd " 1818 1,433
3rd " 3962 588	3rd " 6298 717
Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 729, 3948, 1409, 2205, 5036, 1272, 1780, 795, 1384, 3400, 6399, 6461.	Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 4090, 7688, 5472, 6420, 7276, 3184, 6864, 391, 6785, 2365, 3433, 2011, 5464.
RACE 3	RACE 7
1st No. 6018 \$4,817	1st No. 6868 \$5,752
2nd " 1995 1,378	2nd " 6281 1,644
3rd " 2345 588	3rd " 822 822
Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 5487, 107, 83, 3430, 6279, 4122, 2210.	Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 4069, 4034, 3985, 6045, 96, 4036, 7204, 6626.
RACE 4	RACE 8
1st No. 4478 \$4,589	1st No. 54227 \$45,881
2nd " 3567 1,297	2nd " 24683 13,109
3rd " 6961 648	3rd " 47740 6554
Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 1899, 2498, 3213, 1159, 1285, 6376, 2291, 4388, 196, 6955, 3144, 38, 3373, 4872.	Unplaced ponies (\$100 each). Nos. 4168, 16668, 670, 38488, 32327, 33777, 21613, 22152, 61008, 44724, 6571, 26789, 6113.

Home Football Results

London, November 6.

The following were the results of football matches played today:

First Division	Third Division (North)
Arsenal 2 Birmingham 0	Corliffe 3 Mansfield 1
Blackpool 1 Burnley 1	Chester 0 Hull 0
Bolton 5 Manchester City 1	Crawley 2 Accrington 0
Derby 2 Middlesbrough 0	Darlington 2 Halifax 0
Huddersfield 3 Chelsea 0	Grimsby 3 Barrow 0
Liverpool 3 Portsmouth 1	Hartlepool 2 Wrexham 0
Manchester United 2 Everton 0	Northampton 1 Doncaster 1
Sheffield Wednesday 1 Rotherham 3	Rochdale 1 Bradford City 1
Sunderland 1 Stoke 1	Southport 1 Rotherham 3
Wolves 2 Charlton 0	Stockport 1 Tranmere 1
	York 4 Oldham 4
Second Division	Scottish League Div. "A"
Barnsley 1 Brentford 2	Aberdeen 1 Falkirk 4
Blackburn 7 Lincoln 1	Aldershot 1 Dunfermline 1
Bradford 2 West Ham 3	Ayr United 1 Stirling Albion 1
Cardiff 3 Chesterfield 4	Cowden 1 Kilmarnock 0
Fulham 1 Coventry 0	Dundee United 1 Raith Rovers 4
Grimsby 1 Leicester 0	East Stirling 2 Dumbarton 3
Leeds 1 Bury 0	Hamilton Acc. 0 St. Johnstone 3
Leeds 1 Bury 0	Queen's Park 3 Alloa 4
Plymouth 3 Sheffield Wednesday 2	Stenhousemuir 1 Airdrieonians 3
Queens Park 0 West Brom. 2	
Southampton 3 Spurs 1	
Third Division (South)	Inter-League Match (AT BELFAST)
Aldershot 1 Bristol R. 5	Irish League 0 Scottish League 1
Brighton 3 Newport 2	
Bristol City 2 Bournemouth 1	
Exeter City 2 Watford 1	
Oxford 3 Notts County 1	
Millwall 1 Reading 2	
Northampton 1 Rotherham 2	
Norwich 3 Palace 0	
Southend 0 Swansea 0	
Swindon 4 Ipswich 0	
Port Vale 0 Walsall 2	

Results Of Tennis Matches

In the Open Hard-court Tennis Tournament yesterday afternoon, Mr. R. Segalen and Mrs. Slater beat Mr. Y. P. Tsui and Miss D. Kent, 6-4, 6-2.

The results of the School-boy Singles were as follows:—
Ho Hung-ngai beat Chang Kung by 6-3, 6-1, while Lee Cheuk-sang beat K.L. Ma, 6-3, 6-1.

Too Joon-peng beat Fritz Lin by 7-5, 12-10, and Lo Tuk-shing beat Lee Cheuk-yin by 6-3, 6-4, 6-3.

Lim Hee-lin beat George Lin, Jr., by 7-5, 6-2, 6-1.

Too Joon-swinn beat Choi Ten-kin by 7-5, 10-8, while Leung Hin-shiu beat Maurice Ma, 6-2, 6-3.

Wong Shui-man beat Wong Chun-fai, 6-1, 6-2.

Ponies Class 5. One mile.
1. Li Marlene, 2. Good Ship; 3. Two Bids, 4. Belle Fontaine.
Won by many lengths; two lengths.

Time: 1:43.4.
Parl-Mutuel Win \$274.60; Places \$80.00, \$48.30, \$27.40.
BETTING: Am. Clipper, 164 (H.S. Mok), Win 2,494, Place 1,693; Arzus, 165 (T.B. Day), 59, 127; Atlantic, 141 (Wong Yau), 672, 819; Bright Season, 146 (H.S. Mok), 354, 505; Bronte, 135 (W.F.M. Cook), 2,004, 1,839; Emperor's Gate, 136 (V.V. Needa), 3,340, 3,333; Goodland Jim, 148 (H.L. Tai), 173, 239; Happy Season, 159 (H.A. Castro), 92, 121; Kookaburra, 149 (P.A. Brodie), 2,639, 2,640; Silver Wheel, 150 (H.B. Chan), 2,477, 2,076; Bure Bhot, 159 (H.T. Alexander), 145 (H.S. Mok), 125 (K. Kwok), 2,039, 1,331. Total Win 16,440, Place 15,828.

Race 7—Cheung Chau Stakes (second section). For Australian Ponies Class 5 and Unclassified Ponies of 1948. From near the 1/2 mile post (about half a mile 170 yards).
Time: 2:10.3.
Parl-Mutuel Win \$14.80; Places \$9.20, \$9.20, \$10.50.
BETTING: Am. Clipper, 164 (H.S. Mok), Win 2,494, Place 1,693; Arzus, 165 (T.B. Day), 59, 127; Atlantic, 141 (Wong Yau), 672, 819; Bright Season, 146 (H.S. Mok), 354, 505; Bronte, 135 (W.F.M. Cook), 2,004, 1,839; Emperor's Gate, 136 (V.V. Needa), 3,340, 3,333; Goodland Jim, 148 (H.L. Tai), 173, 239; Happy Season, 159 (H.A. Castro), 92, 121; Kookaburra, 149 (P.A. Brodie), 2,639, 2,640; Silver Wheel, 150 (H.B. Chan), 2,477, 2,076; Bure Bhot, 159 (H.T. Alexander), 145 (H.S. Mok), 125 (K. Kwok), 2,039, 1,331. Total Win 16,440, Place 15,828.

Race 8—Lamina Handicap (second section). For Australian Ponies Class 5 and Unclassified Ponies of 1948. From near the 1/2 mile post (about half a mile 170 yards).
Time: 2:14.4.
Parl-Mutuel Win \$32.80; Places \$9.30, \$9.20, \$10.50.
BETTING: A. Grand Time, 147 (J. Fox Hunt), Win 3,906, Place 3,042; Amigo, 163 (L.B. Lo), 70, 117; Battledore, 159 (H.L. Tai), 1,452, 1,218; V.K. Day, 150 (Robert L. Lam), 91, 207. Total Win 12,309, Place 10,438.

Army Beat Club In Rugger Game

Before a good crowd of spectators at Sookunpo yesterday, Club bowed to the superior strategy of the Army, who won 6 to 3.

The Club had the better of the first half and after five minutes play, de Rome crossed the corner after a smart movement. The kick failed.

The second half was a different story and continuous pressure by the soldiers resulted in a copy book try by Sweeney. The ball travelled from a clean heel in the loose for a grand goal.

The pressure continued and a penalty near the touch at the 25 gave Tucker the opportunity to prove that he is the best goal kicker in the Colony.

Entries For Soccer Shield

The following entries have been received for the Challenge Shield Competition.

SENIOR DIVISION
Navy, Army, Club, St. Joseph's, Police, G. China, "A", S. China, "B", Kowloon Motor Bus, Chinese A.A. and Kilt Club.

JUNIOR DIVISION
Navy, Club, St. Joseph's, Police, Dockyard, P.C.A., Talton, G. China, "A", K. Chi, Kowloon Motor Bus, War Department Chinese, Soldiers' Club.

The draw for the first round will take place at the Council Meeting of the HKFA to be held on Tuesday.

One of the most noticeable absences from the Junior Division is Eastern.

CHINESE AA BEATEN IN JUNIOR UPSET

The biggest upset in local soccer yesterday was in the Second Division where South China, playing at Caroline Hill, shattered the unbeaten record of Chinese A.A. with a convincing two nil victory.

At Boundary Street, the First Division game between Police and St. Joseph's was abandoned with only four minutes left to play and the score standing at one nil in favour of the Saints.

Club put up a very spirited display against Kowloon Motor Bus at Happy Valley and were somewhat unfortunate to go down by two clear goals.

In a thrilling game at Caroline Hill, Eastern and South China "B" shared six goals. Eastern were being led 3-1 at half time.

Police 0—St. Joseph's 1
The game between St. Joseph's and Police at Boundary Street was abandoned because of poor visibility, with St. Joseph's leading by one goal to nil.

Referee Willis blew the whistle four minutes before time at a critical moment when the Police were making concerted efforts to at least level the score.

The game started listlessly with neither side showing any enterprise. The players were just kicking the ball everywhere and anywhere.

At times, when the ball could well be sent into enemy territory, it was kicked high and wide off the mark.

St. Joseph's played below form with hardly any player showing initiative. Boleson in goal had little to do but justified himself once by rushing out from his citadel to catch a high shot with two policemen in close attendance.

Had he missed the ball it might have been an easy goal for any one of the two attackers. Once he dropped a catch, but a colleague cleared.

That was the first chance the Police got to score and incidentally the game's first thrill.

The closest the Police ever got to equalising was in the second half, when they were awarded a penalty kick. The spot kick, which was taken by Colloco, went wide of the mark.

Chan Wing pushed a stinging high shot over the crossbar, but was beaten, however, by a rasping shoulder high shot by Gomes.

Omar at left wing centred a few feet from the goalmouth. Pereira, tackled by a Police defender, flicked the ball to the left, where Gomes was waiting.

giving him a clear target. Gomes made no mistake; the ball was slammed into the net with Chan Wing on the ground.

After half time, the game increased its tempo with the policemen valiantly striving to level the score, but the St. Joseph's defence was steady although their attack weakened.

Rocha and Hui King-ying formed a formidable barrier to the Police invasions. Their powerful kicks sent the ball many a time well into enemy area, but the forwards were out of position, giving their opponents plenty of chances to retaliate.

On both sides, it was clearly the wingers who outshone the others. Both teams fed their men well and had their inside forwards played the game, the goalkeepers would have had more work to do.

St. Joseph's Boleson, Rocha, Hui King-ying, Romajin, Leonard, A. Santos, Toledo, Pereira, Gomes, C. Santos and Omar.

Police: Chan Wing, Fung Pak-chun, Lai Wai, Chan Siu-lam, Gordon, Colloco, Ng Wai, Yau, Man Cheung, Tam Yung-kan and Lu Pak-hung.

Eastern 3—S. China "B" 3
South China took the lead early in the game when Chan Tak-fai scored with a first timer from a centre by Lau Sheng.

This early goal served to spur South China on to greater efforts and after play had been in progress for 10 minutes, they went further ahead when Au Chi-yin netted with a brilliant header from a pass by Tong Sheng.

Striking back with a vengeance, Eastern managed to reduce South China's lead in the 19th minute of the game as Leung Wing-keung, eluding the opposing defence, sent the ball into the net.

Pacheco, the Eastern centre-forward, was brought down by Yuen Yau-sheng in the penalty area in the 24th minute of the game, and a penalty was awarded.

The spot kick was taken by Lee Tin-kee, whose shot was saved by the South China goalkeeper.

With this let-off, the South China players immediately forced the pace and their efforts were rewarded when Au Chi-yin again scored.

At half time, South China were leading by three goals to one.

The second half saw the Eastern forward line play with much better understanding than they did in the first half and within

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

FIRST DIVISION
Police 0 St. Joseph's 1
Eastern 3 S. China "B" 3

SECOND DIVISION
Police 1 Army (Kln.) 1
S. China 2 Chinese A.A. 0
Club 2 Soldiers' 1
Navy 5 Tramways 1
Dockyard 8 W.D. Chinese 1
St. Joseph's 3 H.K. Verity 2

Game abandoned with only four minutes left to play.

of the Colony meet Combined Services in the annual Poppy Day Charity Soccer match.

Both teams are well balanced and one of the best games of the season is likely to be witnessed. The game is timed to start at 3.45 p.m. and the following are the teams:

Rest Of Colony

Tom Kwan-kon (Bus), Rocha (St. Joseph's), and Tee Kam-lun (SCAA), Chang Kam-hoi (SCAA), (SCAA) and A. Santos (St. Joseph), Ho Ying-tun (SCAA), Chow Man-chi (Bus), Lung King-cheong (SCAA), Kler-nan (Club) and Lee Tai-fai (Bus).

Reserves—Leck (Club), Hau Yung-sang (SCAA), La Chung-sang, Lai Shiu-wing (SCAA) and Chan Kam-pul (CCA).

Team Manager—Mr. A. McAlpine.

Combined Services

Gordell (Army), Wheeler (Navy), Tozer (Navy), Weatherall (Army), Flintham (Navy), Craighead (Army), Brown (Navy), Knox (Army), Rafferty (Navy), Gilham (Navy) and Goldrick (Army).

Reserves—Soutar (RAF), Manson (Army) and Marsden (Army).

Team Manager: SMI Easton. The captain raised to the "big match" of the afternoon will be between Referees and the Chinese Press and not the Press as a whole.

The Referees' Association have seen fit to ignore the English Press entirely in regard to arrangements for what was expected to be the customary Referees v Press match. All references by the Referees' Association have it is understood, been conducted with the Chinese Press.

The apparent discourtesy shown by the Referees' Association to the English Press, which has always co-operated fully with referees, has puzzled English-language papers.

Today's Games

FIRST DIVISION
Army v R.A.F., Sookunpo, 4.30 p.m.
Referee: C. Tunstall. Lineament: Chang Kam-pul, Chan Siu-fai, South China "A" v Navy, Caroline Hill, 4.30 p.m. Referee: Capt. Stone. Lineament: A. Ribeiro and Li Dianshi.

SECOND DIVISION
Army-NK v P.C.A., Sookunpo, 8 p.m. Referee: L. Frank. K.M.B. v Kit Chee, Boundary, 8 p.m. Referee: Cpl. Manson. Talton (Bus).

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